

DASHING SOVIET AGENT ACCUSED OF \$800,000 LARCENY

Turin Fruit Dealer's Son, as Moving Picture Buyer for Russia in U. S., Develops Into Financial Acrobat.

"HE LOOKS LIKE A MILLION DOLLARS"

Jacques Cibrario, at 32, Master of 12 Corporations, Fine Apartment, Two \$12,000 Cars, \$500,000 Bank Account.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Credited with a series of financial acrobatics that suggest a new period in the history of business "wizardry," Jacques Cibrario, 32 years old, master of 12 corporations, an expensive Central Park West apartment, at least two \$12,000 automobiles and a half-million dollars in bank accounts, was assigned last evening before Judge Taft on a charge of grand larceny of approximately \$800,000 of the funds of the Russian Socialist Federated Soviet Republic. Cibrario was released from the Tombs on \$10,000 bail for a further hearing Thursday.

Meanwhile, civil proceedings looking to the appointment of a receiver for Cibrario and his 12 corporations, and to the impounding of the half-million dollars deposited in various banks have been instituted by the legal representatives here of the Soviet government.

Broadway has come to know the dashing young Italian as "Count Cibrario," the son of a fruit dealer in Turin, who rose to a \$45-a-week job in Russia in 1917 and to corporate eminence in New York in 1919-20.

The story of Jacques Cibrario is worth telling in the chronology in which the Post-Dispatch has learned it from Charles Peck, attorney here for the Soviet government, from Frederick J. Harrison, a former partner of Cibrario, and from numerous affidavits and legal documents and witnesses, and reports by the Burns International Detective Agency.

Origin of Young Italian.

According to the reports by the Burns Agency of their investigation into the origin of the amazing young financier, Cibrario is the son of Joseph Cibrario, a retired fruit dealer of Piazza Emanuele Filiberto, Turin, from whence he went to London to make his mark in the world about 1912, obtaining first a position as a clerk for 30 shillings a week (\$7.50 normally), and later, about 1914, a job with John D. Tippetts, European agent of the Universal Film Manufacturing Corporation, as representative of that company in Moscow at \$45 a week. The Moscow offices didn't pay their way, and in 1916 Cibrario lost his salary and was put on commission. He fared poorly until 1918, after the rise of the Soviet government and the departure from Russia of virtually all the foreigners in that country. The Soviet Union offered him a job before illiterate peasants printed word propaganda and they looked about for a man schooled in the technique of the motion picture industry.

Cibrario offered himself. He is not only a clever motion picture man; he is learned generally. He speaks four languages fluently. He can discuss world politics, art, finance, travel, everything from the books like a \$10,000 man in carefully selected securities. He is a master of the art of impressive dressing. He carries a cane as though he had been taught by the nobility itself. He is handsome of face, straight of body. He has never married.

Retained as an Expert.

The Soviet committee on public education of Moscow retained him as its expert on motion picture technique and on Aug. 1, 1918, contracted with him as its agent to come to America and purchase \$2,000,000 worth of motion picture apparatus and film. A few days later, because of financial considerations, the contract was cut to \$1,000,000. By its terms Cibrario was to receive a 5 per cent commission on the amount of the contract, 1 per cent of which was paid him in advance for expenses. The 1 per cent amounting to \$10,000, which was secured by his household and office furniture in Moscow. His instructions were to purchase 2500 motion picture projecting machines of specified make and 11,000,000 feet of raw film. Deliveries were to be made within six months of the date of the contract. Under these terms he stood to make \$50,000 in six months—but he could have completed the job in two, it was said yesterday.

A translated copy of this contract, certified by the United States State Department, is on file with a copy of the original in the National City Bank. In accordance with the agreement with Cibrario, the Soviet committee, on Aug. 18, 1918, turned over to Dr. William Chapin Huntington, then commercial attaché of the American embassy in Moscow, 11,000,000 rubles—which, according to the information obtained by Peck here, was used in part for embassy expenses, and charged against the

G. B. Means Claims \$57,000 Sent by Express Is Lost

Package Was Said to Contain Payment to Sister of Mrs. Maude A. King in Connection With Estate.

By the Associated Press.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 2.—Express company officials are trying to solve the mystery of the disappearance of \$57,000 in cash, said to have been shipped by express on June 22 last, from Concord, N. C., to Chicago, by Gaston B. Means, according to statements by attorneys and express company representatives today.

Means has entered claim for the money, which he says he counted in the presence of witnesses, and immediately wrapped and shipped by express to Roy D. Keen, Chicago lawyer, who is attorney for the estate of his sister, the late Mrs. Maude A. King, who was shot and killed near Concord, in August, 1917. Means' attorney, J. F. Newell, ex-

plained that the money was a payment in connection with the settlement of the King estate, and represented earnings from deals in raw rubber in which Mrs. King and Means, as her business adviser and manager, engaged prior to her death. When the package arrived at Chicago, according to Mr. Keen's report to Means, it contained only a block of wood in a wooden box. The express agent at Concord said today that on June 22, Means shipped a package through the express there, of the Southeastern Express Co., valued at \$57,000, but he knew nothing of the contents of the package.

Means was acquitted in the fall of 1917 on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Mrs. King.

Government at Washington, which, a short time later, deposited \$10,000 in the National City Bank with a letter from Dr. Huntington vouching for Cibrario as authorized agent of the Soviet committee.

Also, it is said, there was turned over a copy of the contract and its English translation, embracing the conditions under which the fund was to be disbursed—upon presentation of bills of lading, warehouse receipts, vouchers and other documentary evidence of the delivery to Cibrario of the material called for in the contract.

Lost \$10,000 in Speculation.

Affidavits by Harrison and other witnesses assert Cibrario left Moscow on the last day of that city with members of the American and Italian embassies for Petrograd, and that in Stockholm he lost half of his \$10,000 in stock speculations, whereupon he left for America, arriving in New York in January, 1919.

On Dec. 24 there also arrived in New York Roman H. Metchnikoff, former Moscow agent for the Huntington Typewriter Co., and at that time a friend of Cibrario.

The two made the acquaintance of Benjamin Freedman, who is now in the silk business at 355 Fifth avenue.

Early in January the National City Bank notified Cibrario it would honor drafts properly substantiated by commercial paper as required by the contract. Shortly thereafter, according to the affidavits of Harrison, Metchnikoff, H. W. White, formerly of the United States Army, Harry A. Lee, a former associate of Cibrario, and Roman Metchnikoff, who is now in charge of the Russian business of the Remington Typewriter Co., Cibrario started on his corporate career.

Cinematic Company.

The Standard Cinematic Co., a corporation formed under the laws of this State, sprang into existence. It is charged in affidavits that it was formed by Cibrario and owned outright by him. He is said to have employed dummies as the incorporators and the officers. Freedman was president and Metchnikoff was secretary. Cibrario paid Metchnikoff \$35 a week, according to the Metchnikoff affidavit. The incorporators, Philip Rosenwasser, Edwin B. Field and Freedman, turned in their stock and 85 shares each were issued to Freedman and Metchnikoff, who immediately resigned them to Cibrario.

Offices were opened at 729 Seventh avenue, which also was Cibrario's private offices. Today Cibrario and his 12 corporations occupy a floor in this office building at the corner of 48th street, in the heart of the moving picture theatrical district. According to all the affidavits, Cibrario directed Freedman, as president of the Standard Cinematic Co., with no other assets than business stationery, to write him a letter signifying willingness to accept an order for 2500 motion picture projectors, but stating that as they were for foreign shipment and as the order was an unusually large one, an advance payment of one-third of the full amount would be required.

This letter in his hand, Cibrario is alleged to have visited the National City Bank and asked for a draft for \$136,000 payable to the Standard Cinematic Co., which he received.

It is asserted, the National City Bank knows Cibrario as having been O.K.'ed by Dr. Huntington, American Diplomatic agent, was glad to grant.

Check Drawn for \$136,000.

A draft for \$136,000 was made out by Cibrario to the order of the Standard Cinematic Co., and deposited by Freedman in the Public National Bank in the name of the corporation. Two days later, Cibrario, according to the affidavits, as told Metchnikoff and Freedman he had decided to dissolve the company and directed the \$35 a week Metchnikoff to draw a check for \$136,000. Metchnikoff did as directed.

The check was to the order of Freedman, who, it is further alleged, at Cibrario's direction purchased two \$50,000 treasury certificates of deposit and gave them, along with \$5,000, to Cibrario. Freedman then borrowed \$25,000 from Cibrario, returning the \$12,500 later.

Freedman, according to the evidence in affidavit form, retained Max L. Steiner and sued for the appointment of a receiver for Cibrario, but a settlement was effected by which the \$12,500 Freedman obligation was cancelled and Cibrario paid \$5000 counsel fees to Steiner and \$1000 to his own attorney, I. Gainesburg, and Freedman, and Cibrario

QUAKE FOR 200 MILES IN ITALY; BIG BUILDING FALLS

Eight Bodies Removed From Ruins of Postoffice at Bari; One Victim Reputed Millionaire.

TREMORS REPORTED FROM LEGHORN

Shock Monday Extended to Lake Lugano District—Extent of Damage Not Determined.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, Aug. 2.—The Postoffice building at Bari, in Southeastern Italy, on the Adriatic, collapsed yesterday as a result of an earth tremor, and eight bodies have so far been recovered from the ruins. Others are reported to have been killed in the disaster and many injured.

One of the bodies taken out was that of M. Zanolini, reputed to be a Greek millionaire, who was transacting business in the Postoffice at the time of the collapse.

Indications Quake Was Felt Over Distance Stretching 200 Miles.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—A violent earthquake shock was felt at Leghorn, Italy, and elsewhere, Monday, says a dispatch to the London Times from Milan. Severe damage was done in the Lake Lugano district. A large building collapsed in Bari, burying many persons.

The extent of the damage done and the number of victims is not known.

From the above dispatch, it would appear that the earthquake shock was felt over a distance of nearly 200 miles from Leghorn on the Tyrrhenian Sea, to Lake Lugano, just south of the Swiss border.

Auto Dealer and Operator of Service Company Indicted

Edward J. Bernhardt and Patrick Conway Jointly Charged in Car Theft Cases.

Edward J. Bernhardt, 34 years old, of 4205 Athlone avenue, head of the Bernhardt Sales Agency, Grand and St. Louis avenues, and Patrick Conway, 32, of 3059 Whittier street, who operates a motor service company, were indicted this afternoon on charges of grand larceny in connection with the disappearance of a large number of Ford automobiles which are charged jointly on seven counts.

Bernhardt was arrested July 21, following an investigation by detectives of the disappearance of several of the Ford automobiles which are said to have been sold or offered for sale after their engine numbers had been changed. Bernhardt later told the police that he had disposed of 17 cars in the last year, all of which either were sent to him by Conway or by men Conway introduced to him. When Bernhardt was arrested, a Ford sedan and four other Ford machines the engine numbers of which had been changed, were seized.

The charges are based on the theft of Ford automobiles from the following persons: Valle Reyburn, 366 Wallingford avenue; Louis Tevis, 4944 Buckingham court; Louis Saunders, 3859 Olive street; Walter L. Hen, 4444 Nebraska avenue; Joseph Sacks, 1167 Walton avenue; Walter eBers, 4739 Hammeett place; and Walter J. Meers, 1351 Cockerill avenue.

STINNES QUILTS HAMBURG LINE

Report of Rupture With Steamship Company Confirmed.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—Confirmation of recent reports that Hugo Stinnes and his allied interests had completely disassociated themselves from active participation in the Hamburg-American Steamship Line and its affiliated interests was contained in a statement yesterday in the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, which is owned by Herr Stinnes.

The rupture is understood to have occurred on account of recent independent shipping activities between Germany and South America by the Stinnes interests.

DRIVER OF OUTING PARTY AUTO THAT KILLED WOMAN HELD

William Strasser Charged With Criminal Carelessness in Death of Mrs. Eschenbach.

William Strasser, 20 years old, of 2120 Elm avenue, Wellston, was held for criminal carelessness by a coroner's jury today after an inquest in the case of Mrs. Jennie Eschenbach, 68 years old, who was killed by an automobile driven by Strasser, at Nebraska and Lafayette avenues, at 9:30 a. m. Saturday.

Mrs. Dorothy Smith of 2815 Henrietta street, who crossed the street in front of Mrs. Eschenbach, testified that the machine was going rapidly and almost struck her as it swerved. She said she heard no horn.

There were three men and three women in the automobile, starting on an outing. Members of the party testified that Strasser was not driving carefully, but that Mrs. Eschenbach, after starting across the street, turned back into the path of the machine, and that the accident was unavoidable. Strasser is on a \$5000 bond.

A coroner's jury returned a verdict of homicide today holding Roland Allen, 32 years old, a negro, living at 321 Cabanne court, for the death of Chester Morris, 24, 940 Hodgman avenue, a negro, who died Sunday at city hospital No. 2 of injuries suffered July 5, when an automobile driven by Allen, in which Morris and several other negroes were passengers, struck a truck in front of 4455 Delmar boulevard and overturned. It was testified that the automobile, which was that of J. C. Brinner, 6008 Clemens avenue, was being driven by Allen on the morning of the accident at a high rate of speed.

"TWILIGHT ZONE" AMERICANS REFUSED PASSPORTS IN ROME

U. S. State Department's Action Thought to Be Due to Belief That Many of Them Are Tax Dodgers.

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ROME, Aug. 2.—"Twilight zone" Americans here have suffered a rude shock in being refused passports by the State Department at the moment they most desired to make continental journeys.

During the war the department refused to issue passports to a number of Americans here and in other continental countries, who for years had resided abroad rather than in the United States, and who had shown no desire to return to their native land.

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IDENTIFIES MAN WHO DOES THE SHOOTING

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ILLINOIS TREASURER WILLING TO CANCEL PARK LAND DEAL

Edward R. Miller Writes He Thought Purchase Was in Interest of State.

Edward E. Miller, State Treasurer of Illinois, and a member of the East St. Louis real estate firm of Bowman & Miller, sent a letter to the East St. Louis Park Board today expressing his willingness to have canceled the deal for the purchase of 123 acres adjoining Jones Park, through the Bowman & Miller firm.

The deal has been criticized on the ground that the Park Board does not need additional acreage and on the ground that it agreed to pay \$1000 an acre for land on all except one acre of which Miller obtained options at prices ranging from \$750 to \$1500 an acre.

Miller says he thought he was acting for the benefit of the community, but on account of adverse public sentiment, he withdraws his tender. He still holds the options, and he says that if the Park Board wants to proceed to get the land in any other way, it may, but that the negotiations are off as far as he is concerned.

The Board of Directors of the East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce adopted a resolution this afternoon disapproving negotiations by the Park Board for any considerable increase of park area at this time, and disapproving issuance of bonds.

RUN ON 5-CENT BANK ADDS \$500,000 TO POSTAL SAVINGS

Federal Institution at Boston Files Up Deposits When Local Concern Has Trouble.

By the Associated Press.

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—Belief that the run on the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, which began Friday, had amounted to \$500,000, was breaking all records for so short a period. Nearly \$50,000 was deposited yesterday at Central Postoffice, where the daily average for some time is said to have been about \$1500.

It was learned from postal authorities that, since the bank run started, postal savings deposits in this city

PRIVATE DETECTIVE NED FOR KILLING OF SID HATFIELD

C. E. Lively and a Deputy Sheriff Arrested in Connection With Death of Pictorial Mingo Co. Fighter.

REGRET EXPRESSED
BY THE GOVERNOR

West Virginia Executive Among Those Commenting Upon Tragedy on Court House Steps Yesterday.

By the Associated Press.
WELCH, W. Va., Aug. 2.—Two men are being held today for the killing of Sid Hatfield and Ed Chambers, residents of Matewan, W. Va., shot here yesterday, shortly before the former was to appear in Circuit Court to answer to a charge of being the instigator of the shooting at Mohawk, W. Va., a year ago.

Hatfield was one of the most picturesque characters in the State. Through his name and the romance attached to his participation in the Matewan battle in May, 1920, in which 10 men were killed, his death was of sufficient significance to bring comment from Gov. E. F. Morgan and C. E. Kenney, president of District 17, United Mine Workers of America.

Gov. Morgan expressed his regret that the killings had occurred and Kenney termed the act "murder."

Private Detective Held.
C. E. Lively, a Baldwin-Felts detective, and George "Buster" Pence, a McDowell County Deputy Sheriff, are the two men of the five arrested who are held in connection with the deaths.

Both Lively and Hatfield testified before the United States Senate committee which investigated the industrial situation in Mingo County recently.

Lively, as a detective of the Baldwin-Felts agency, posed as a union man in the Williamson coal fields, and was criticised in the matter. Hatfield appeared on the stand in behalf of the United Mine Workers at Washington and attracted unusual attention there through his reputation as a gunman.

One hundred special deputies are patrolling the streets of Welch to keep the peace. Hatfield and Chambers were removed early this morning to Matewan.

A coroner's jury could not be obtained and their deaths were pronounced due to gunshot wounds from the hands of unknown persons.

Career of Hatfield.
Hatfield's career ended on the courthouse steps at Welch, closed the life of a leading figure in the industrial strife of Mingo County.

He was the central figure in the trial early this year of the more than a score of men charged in connection with the killing of a detective 14 months ago.

With his friend, Chambers, also a defendant in that trial, he fell as a result of pistol shot wounds suffered as the two men were entering the courthouse.

According to witnesses, Hatfield, with a party of friends, approached the entrance to the court house just before noon. There they met Lively and a group of companions. Friendships were said to have been exchanged, but a moment later those on either side were noticed to assume a hostile attitude. Loud talking was indulged in, followed by pistol fire. No one, however, could say who commenced shooting.

Hatfield and Chambers were seen to fall. Examination revealed that Hatfield had been shot in the chest and breast. One of the two pistols had been carried by Hatfield. Hatfield had been discharged, witnesses said. All chambers in the pistol were empty. It was claimed. It was stated further that Chambers had but one pistol. Some of the shells in it also had been fired. It was declared.

Crowd Not Excited.
The shooting, although creating some excitement, did not cause more than a flurry among the large crowd in Welch for the trial in connection with the shooting up of Mohawk, W. Va., a year ago.

Mrs. Sid Hatfield, former wife of Mayor C. C. Testerman, one of those slain in the Matewan battle which resulted in the deaths of seven private detectives and Chambers were in Welch to attend court at the time. Her marriage to Hatfield was two weeks after the death of her husband.

Lively was the "surprise" witness for the prosecution in the trial conducted in connection with the death of Albert C. Felts, director of the bar of private detectives which had been sent to Matewan during the labor troubles there in eviction cases.

Shortly after Hatfield was acquitted of the Matewan charge he was removed from the office of Chief of Police and immediately elected as Constable of the Magnolia District, an office he retained to the time of his death.

Although only 26 years old, Hatfield's name was known to almost every West Virginian and to many persons outside the State, on account of frequent pistol episodes to which he had been a party.

Those who saw the bodies of Hat-

Enrico Caruso, Sailing, With His Wife and Baby, on His Last Voyage From U. S. to Italy; Other Characteristic Snapshots



1—Caruso's last voyage from America to Italy began May 31 last. The photograph shows him and his family at the rail of the steamship President Wilson.

2—Arriving at the Metropolitan Opera House for a rehearsal.

3—Laughing with an admiring throng about him.

4—A cigarette, with a long holder, was nearly always in his mouth.

5—Showing a photographer how his neck had shrunk from his collar on his first walk after he began to recover from his illness.

field and Chambers after the two men had been shot asserted that the smile of the Matewan former Chief of Police remained even in death. The smile has been the subject of comment upon by all who came in contact with Hatfield and earned for him the sobriquet of "Smiling Sid."

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"The Broken Tenor."
Caruso himself related that during his first years in Italy he gained the nickname of "the broken tenor," because he was ruining his voice, due to a lyric organ, with a faulty method.

On one occasion, at the Municipal Theater at Trepano, Sicily, he was hoisted off the stage in the first act of "Lucia." But one of the leading Italian vocal teachers took an interest in him, taught him a correct technique of singing, and launched him on a triumphal career.

It is interesting to observe that when Caruso made his Naples debut he sang the title role four times for which he received 100 francs, a pair of stage shoes, a suit of fashions and a necktie. Some years later, Maurice Grau, the impresario, negotiated with him to sing in America for \$700 a month, but thought the salary excessive, and the deal fell through. Grau was quick to perceive the opportunity he had lost, and finally engaged Caruso for performances at \$1000 a night. But Mr. Grau became ill, and Caruso, when singing at Lisbon, received word that again he must abandon his hope of singing in America. Heinrich Conried, who followed Grau at the Metropolitan, however, cabled Caruso an offer to cross the Atlantic, and his ambition at last was realized.

Received as High as \$10,000 a Night.
Although no official statement of his earnings was ever made public, it is known that Caruso, at the height of his Metropolitan career, was receiving an average of \$3000 for each performance. On special occasions, such as his 1920 season in Havana, he was paid \$10,000 a night.

The list of Italian and French operas in which the noted tenor's name figures since he first sang in New York reveals an amazing versatility. In 16 years he sang no less than 549 times, in one season, 1907-08, making 51 appearances, a great feat of endurance for any voice. He was unparagoned, if not reckless, of his vocal powers. No grand opera tenor in America, from the days of Brignoli, Campanini, Ravelli, Tamagno and Jean de Reske, it is recorded, ever reigned so long in popular favor.

Caruso, after his strenuous opera seasons, sometimes had trouble with his throat, which he usually overcame with a little rest and care at certain intervals. Rumors that Caruso will never sing again were frequently printed. In the winter of 1920, however, he suffered a serious affliction when a small blood vessel in his throat burst when he was singing in "Elixir d'Amore" in the Brooklyn Academy of Music. Recovered from this mishap, Caruso was stricken with pleurisy.

During his indisposition, Caruso was the object of devoted attention by his wife, formerly Miss Dorothy Benjamin of New York, whom he married in 1918. One child was born to them. Caruso had a son by a singer named Ada Chiacetti, with whom he had been associated in opera at Treviso and Bologna.

Repertoire in America.
Caruso's repertoire in America included the following: (Italian)—"Aida," "Rigoletto," "La Boheme," "L'Africaine," "La Favorita," "La Sonnambula," "La Traviata," "Les Huguenots," "Fedora," "Adrienne Lecouvreur," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "Pagliacci," "L'Amore del Tre Re," "Un Ballo in Maschera," "Lodoletta," "Marta," "L'Elisir d'Amore," "Manon Lescaut," "Madama Butterfly," "La Fanciulla del West," "Lucia di Lamermoor," "La Gioconda," "Il Trovatore," "Don Gio-

vanni," "Germania," "Iris," "Luzia Borgia," "Tosca," "La Forza del Destino," (French)—"Les Pecheurs de Perles," "Armide," "Faust," "Julien," "Le Prophete," "Carmen," "Samson et Delila," and "Mignon."

The famous singer was the guest of honor at a silver jubilee celebration, on the twenty-fifth anniversary of his operatic debut, in November, 1919, at the Metropolitan at which prominent New Yorkers, including the Mayor and other officials, spoke of his great artistic achievements.

He received an illuminated parchment from 35 families holding boxes in the \$7,000,000 "Golden Horseshoe," a flag from the City of New York, several medals and numerous gifts from his fellow artists.

Wife an American.
Mr. and Mrs. Caruso resided in New York City during the opera season. They had a summer home on Long Island and another residence, Villa alle Panche, at Florence, Italy.

Caruso's career, aside from that of a celebrated artist, was filled with many incidents. More than once he found himself confronted by women who asserted they had been married to him. He was the defendant in a suit for breach of promise. Ada Chiacetti received a settlement of \$100,000 from him. It is said, to relinquish all claim to their child.

After his marriage with Miss Benjamin, daughter of Park Benjamin, the lawyer, who opposed the marriage, the bridal couple made a trip to Caruso's home in Italy, and returned with Enrico Jr. A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Caruso Dec. 18, 1919, at their home in the Knickerbocker Hotel. She was christened Gloria.

Although Caruso's musical career eclipsed his personal life, many persons noted the remarkable talent he possessed for drawing and especially for caricature, which he usually turned upon himself.

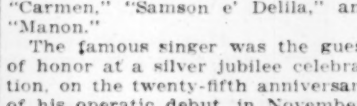
Caruso was a faddist, too. He was a collector of stamps and coins, and years ago, of dainty watercolors. He had hundreds of them. He also fancied jewels, and several times was robbed of them by burglars.

Caruso's Last Appearance in St. Louis was in May, 1919.

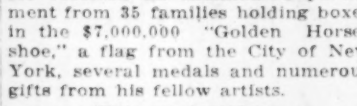
Caruso's last appearance in St. Louis occurred at the Coliseum in a recital on the evening of May 2, 1919. Previous to that time he had not sung in this city for nearly 10 years. His numbers included the love song, "Celeste Aida," from "Aida"; the romance, "Una furtiva lagrima," from "L'Elisir d'Amore"; and his world-renowned aria, "Vesti la giubba," from "I Pagliacci." He also sang about a score of songs and ballads, one of which, "La



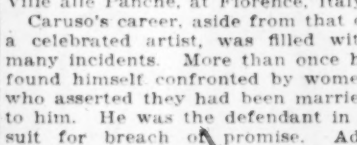
Campana di S. Giusto, a patriotic song sung by the girls of Trieste, aroused the evening's climax of applause. He was accompanied by an orchestra of 60 musicians, mostly members of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.



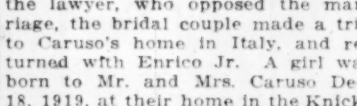
The tenor complained of an apparatus of wood, like a crumpled leaf, which he found hanging over his head, and which was designed to serve as a sounding board. Instead of reinforcing his tone, he said, the device had the effect of a great hand forcing his voice back down his throat. Throughout the evening, he stood as far from under the incense as he could, and made his disconcerting known to the audience by means of gestures and grimaces.



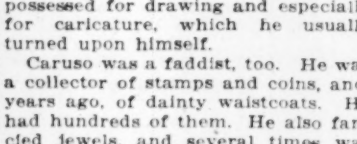
During his stay in St. Louis, a dithering incident happened. Caruso was presented at police headquarters for advertising purposes, with a badge making him an honorary member of the St. Louis police department. After the presentation speech, one of the Police Commissioners remarked: "Now a little song, maybe?" Caruso was speechless, until his wife came to the rescue by saying: "Won't you please find someone for my husband to arrest?"



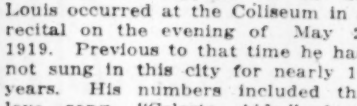
During the last visit of Caruso to St. Louis, with his wife, he visited the Municipal theater in Forest Park and sang a few snatches of song from the stage.



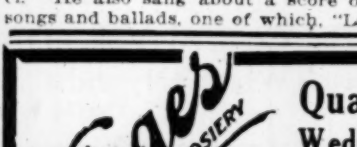
Caruso's son learns on train of Father's Death.



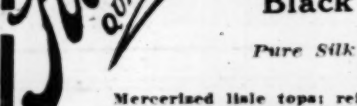
By the Associated Press.
CULVER, Ind., Aug. 2.—Enrico Caruso Jr., son of the famous tenor, who died early at Naples, was with route to Chicago when informed of his father's death this morning. When word of Caruso's death was received through the Associated Press, officials at the Culver Military Academy, which young Caruso attends, wired ahead of the train. Young Caruso received the message at Plymouth, Ind., and immediately started back to Culver.



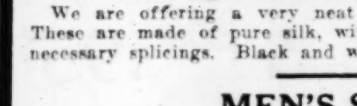
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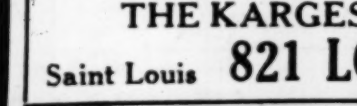
By the Associated Press.
EDINBURGH, Scotland, Aug. 2.—The death of Lord Reay (Donald James Mackay), was announced here yesterday. He was in his eighty-second year. Lord Reay, who was a former Governor of Bombay and a one-time Under-Secretary for India, Academy from 1901 to 1907.



By the Associated Press.
LONDON, July 22.—Lord Northcliffe recently revealed an interesting bit of war history concerning the evacuation of Gallipoli. The hero of the story was Keith Murdoch, an Australian journalist, who is returning home to become editor of the Melbourne Herald, and the occasion of the telling of it was a luncheon given to Murdoch by the Times.



"It is an open secret," said Lord Northcliffe in proposing Murdoch's health, "that it was due to his initiative that the Australians and the rest were removed from Gallipoli. Coming to Europe for the first time, he went to Gallipoli peninsula and for the first time the truth was revealed."



"He brought a dispatch, a very terrible dispatch which I believe was intended to be sent to Australia. He showed that dispatch to me and I suggested that the time which would be spent in carrying that in Philadelphia, and was enjoying one of the best seasons of his life."



"Up to the time of his sailing for Italy," reports were current that Caruso's voice had not withstood the ravages of his many weeks of illness. These were stoutly denied by his friends.

Police reserves and dock guards had great difficulty in holding in check a great crowd of admirers as they greeted Caruso when he went aboard the steamship, President Wilson, where his most intimate friends bade him and Mrs. Caruso farewell.

Shortly after the tenor had arrived in Italy, report began to drift back to this country that he would not sing again before the American public in his old voice. Caruso, however, immediately cabled a denial of these reports, declaring that "when I want to show I have not lost my voice, I shall do so at the proper time and place."

Mishap When Singing.
The breakdown in the tenor's health last winter followed a series of mishaps to Caruso which culminated on Dec. 11 in Brooklyn, when he burst a blood vessel while singing in "Elixir d'Amore" at the Academy of Music.

His performance on that occasion was gallant; he struggled through the whole first act although time and again blood choked his voice and every now and then he was forced to change a reddened handkerchief for another dully slipped to him by some member of the chorus.

The tenor in the front row soon became aware of the singer's danger and applauded the daring fight in which time after time the golden voice rose superior to the obstacle that threatened to muffle it. It was not until the combined demands of his wife, almost frantic in the wings, and the pleas of his physician had been joined, that Caruso finally consented to abandon the stage.

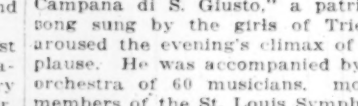
Sang Last Christmas Eve.
A few days before the mishap in Brooklyn Caruso slightly strained a muscle when he stumbled, and plunged into part of the stage settings at the Metropolitan Opera House during a performance of "Il Pagliacci." There was a long delay between the first and second scenes during which Caruso rested and regained composure.

After his accident in Brooklyn every effort was made to minimize the mishap and to assure the public that Caruso would soon sing again. He did sing again, his last public appearance being at the Metropolitan on Christmas Eve last in the role of Elcazar in "La Juive." He was well, and came back with an ovation such as only an enthusiastic Metropolitan audience could muster.

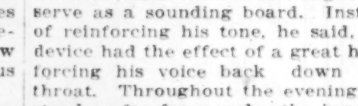
Opera goes that night felt reassured that all was well with the glorious voice of their favorite, but on the day after Christmas came the announcement that Caruso had been stricken with pleurisy."



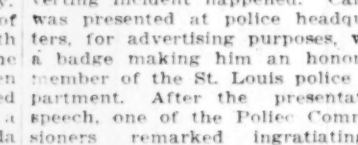
Princes sent messages of hope to his bedside from every country that knew a cable station or a wireless plant.



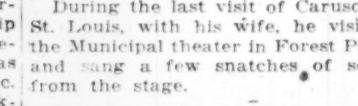
To his suit, with the exquisite bouquets of the rich, came simple garlands that expressed the love and admiration from every country that knew a cable station or a wireless plant.



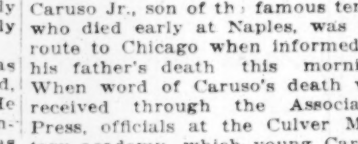
On the stage Caruso always was cheerful. His gaiety in responding to curtain calls, his gracious bows and unexpected tricks, his inextinguishable energy, aroused an admiration that knew no boundaries, creeds or birth.



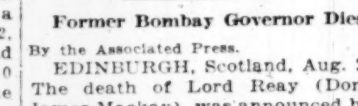
His joy was in singing. "I promise you that when I go to heaven I shall sing forever," he told an audience at the Friars' Club five years ago.



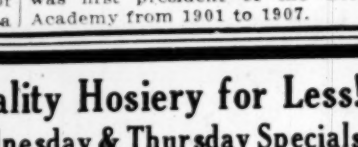
Sometimes the possession of a voice that thousands considered the most nearly perfect ever given to a man palled upon the great tenor, and he would express a regret that he could not be just an ordinary nobody.



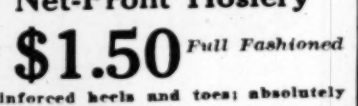
"The burdens of my gift are greater than the rewards," he would say. Personal friends knew Caruso to be as cheerful in private life as on the stage. Trouble seemed ever to follow him, yet he kept cheerful and undismayed.



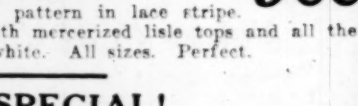
Caruso's illness began during last Christmas week, when he suffered an attack of pleurisy and was confined to his suite in the Hotel Vanderbilt. His condition growing worse, the singer a few days later underwent an operation to relieve him of an accumulation of pus in the pleural cavity, exudate having collected between the pleura and the lungs themselves. It was deemed advisable to operate again for a secondary abscess.



Suffered Heart Attack.
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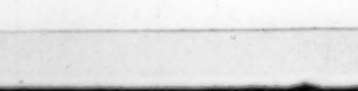
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Indications That It May Be Impossible to Get Case Into Jury's Hands by Night.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Closing arguments by both prosecution and defense in the baseball trial are expected to be finished today, but indications are that it may be impossible to carry out the plans of getting the case into the hands of the jury by tonight.

It is believed that preparation of Judge Hugo Friedman's charge to the jury will make it impossible for the jurors to start deliberations before tomorrow in deciding whether there was a conspiracy to defraud individuals and the public through the alleged paying of \$100,000 to eight White Sox players to throw the 1919 world's series baseball games.

James C. O'Brien, attorney for "Chick" Gandil, and Ben Short, representing Eddie Cicotte, Joe Jackson and Claude Williams, the three players who confessed to receiving money to throw games, made the final plea for the defense this morning. Following them John Tyrrell and George Gorman, State attorneys, will conclude their summation of evidence.

It is considered possible that Judge Friedman may hold another night session to instruct the jury, but attorneys for both sides are said to be opposed to this.

The defense yesterday used much of its time in maintaining that the baseball scandal investigation and trial were the outcome of the efforts of Han Johnson, president of the American League, to injure Charles Comiskey, owner of the White Sox club.

Thomas Nash, A. Morgan Frumberg of St. Louis, and O'Brien took turns in picturing Johnson as a czar who controlled the investigation from start to finish and as a man "who testified in the dark before a secret grand jury in order to ruin Comiskey, but who was afraid to come out in the open and testify at the trial."

**BODIES OF DROWNED WOMAN
AND GIRL BROUGHT TO ST. LOUIS**

Verdict of Accident by Coroner in Tragedy at Smeltzer Lake, North-west of St. Charles.

Mrs. Helen Murphy, 45 years old, of 4210 College avenue, and her niece, Miss Helen Stoeckle, 17, of 4667 Clarence avenue, were drowned about 11 a. m. yesterday in Smeltzer Lake, 20 miles northwest of St. Charles, in the presence of Mrs. Murphy's four daughters and the mother and sister of Miss Stoeckle.

Members of the two families formed an outing party which had been visiting the home of Michael Prinster, a farmer, near St. Charles. They had gone to the lake, and the women and children were bathing, when Hazel Stoeckle, 11 years old, waded beyond her depth. Helen Stoeckle went to her assistance, but was unable to bring her to safety, and Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Stoeckle swam to them. Mrs. Stoeckle succeeded in rescuing the younger daughter, but Helen seized Mrs. Murphy and they both sank.

Hugh Harlow, a farmer living on the opposite side of the lake, heard the screams and ran to the water, but was not in time to prevent the double drowning. The bodies were recovered at 1 p. m. by Harlow and others. A verdict of accidental drowning was returned. The bodies were brought to St. Louis.

**SEA BATHERS IN TAHITI
TERRIFIED BY GIANT OCTOPUS**By the Associated Press.
PAPEETE, Tahiti, Aug. 2.—Terrors attending sea bathing at Tahiti, already numerous, have been increased by reports that a giant devil fish was seen recently hovering around the island.

First reports were received when natives came into Papeete with a tale of having been attacked by a giant octopus about two miles east of here. Their story was not given much credence until sailors aboard the bark Roy Summers, which arrived a few days later, told of sighting near here a huge fish of the squid type.

As a result few people are venturing into the sea. Besides the devil fish there is the ever-present shark and a wicked fish called the "mohu," which buries itself in the sand just off the shore and gives a poisonous sting to bathers unfortunate enough to step on it. Then, too, there is a certain kind of coral which causes blood poison if it cuts the skin. Tahitian natives, whenever they chance to get wet with sea water, always wash in fresh water when arriving ashore, and as for the whites, sea bathing is too dangerous to be pleasant.

MERGER OF TIRE COMPANIES

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 2.—Plans for consolidation of the Fisk Rubber Co. of Chicago and the Federal Rubber Co. with its subsidiary fabric manufacturing corporation, the Ninigret company, have been announced. The plan calls for the issuance of Fisk stock to stockholders in the other two corporations and also the payment of a small dividend sum in exchange for Federal and Ninigret stock.

It is further planned to secure a direct mortgage on all the property for a sum of \$10,000,000.
Man Moving Furnace Electrocutted.
George McLean, 27 years old, of 4239 Cleveland avenue, was electrocuted at 2:10 yesterday afternoon by a short circuit in an electric wire

while he was engaged, with Edward Schulz, 3533 Park avenue, in removing a furnace from the basement of the Gradwohl laboratories at 3514 Lucas avenue. McLean died shortly after being removed to the city hospital. Schulz said that McLean had an extension electric light, attached to a socket in the ceiling, in his hand and when he stepped upon some iron water pipes a short circuit was created.

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Russian Fitch Pocket Stole.....
Natural Squirrel Throws.....
Black Lynx Stoles.....
\$75**Stoles & Capes**Eastern Mink Pocket
Stoles.....
Russian Fitch Capes.....
German Fitch Capes.....
Nat. Squirrel Capes.....
Nat. Squirrel Stoles.....
Jap Mink Capes.....
\$145**Special Wednesday Feature
3-Skin Natural Squirrel Chokers**Regular \$12.95 Values
While so Chokers last. Your choice.....**\$5**

A Complete and Varied Assortment of

New Fall DressesWhich Are Moderately
Priced From**\$25 to \$95**Dresses of—
Satin Crepe
Canton Crepe
Crepe de Chine
Georgette
Tricoline
Combinations

Our stocks are brimful of all the newest creations of noted New York designers. Showing beaded, braided, embroidered and a host of other noteworthy trimming effects. The prices are nominal and greatly add to the importance of our selection.

A Surprising and Inimitable

Sale of Fiber Silk SweatersOffering \$17.50, \$15, \$12.50,
\$12 and \$10 Values for Only**\$5.95**

Charming Tuxedo and slipover models in the popular black and navy as well as sport shades....

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Avenue**Kline's**Thru to
Sixth
Street**August Sale of FURS**

Featuring Wonderful Values

Hudson Seal Coats— August Sale Price After-August Sale
Trimmed with Northern skunk, golden beaver and Siberian squirrel. Handsomely lined **\$249.75** **\$325.00**French Seal Coats— August Sale Price After-August Sale
Trimmed with Siberian squirrel, golden beaver and Northern skunk. Cape collar and cuffs..... **\$189.75** **\$265.00**Eastern Mink Capes
Made with shawl collar, cape back and stole front. Trimmed with 1 1/2 tails all around **\$294.75**
After-August Sale, \$305.00Jap Mink Capes
Hip-length models made with shawl collar, trimmed with tails **\$149.75**
After-August Sale, \$195.00

Kline's—Third Floor.

Silk Dresses Sacrificed

Hundreds of Beautiful Models at Enormous Reductions—Costs Disregarded!

Formerly
Priced Up
to \$25 ...**\$9.85**Including black
Roshanara crepe
Jumpers.Taffetas
Crepe de
Chines
Tricolettes
Plain and
Figured
Georgettes
Foulards
Canton CrepesWhite
Wanted
Black
Navy Blue
Light Shades

Kline's—Fourth Floor.

Children's Dresses SacrificedFormerly Priced From
\$7.95 to \$15!Girls' Colored Organdie Dresses
Girls' Gingham Dresses
Girls' Colored Voile Dresses
Girls' White Organdie Dresses
Sizes 6 to 16 YearsUp to \$2.95 Girls' Dresses— **\$1.00**Girls' White Organdie Dresses.....
Girls' Figured Voile Dresses.....
Girls' Crash Dresses.....**\$3.95**

Kline's—Fifth Floor.

Fiber Silk Sweaters

That Look and Feel Like Pure Silk

Values to \$15! **\$5.95**

Beyond question the greatest Sweater values ever offered. Secured at tremendous sacrifices from a maker of the very finest sweaters. Come in every desirable style and color.

Hundreds to Choose From—
Plenty of Black and Navy.

Kline's—Main Floor.

Special! Silk Skirts

At Drastic Reductions

Values to \$10! **\$2.95**

Including Baronette Satin Skirts as well as Skirts of Mailman's weaves, in a variety of colors. Every Skirt from our own carefully selected stocks and are priced

In Most Instances at Far
Less Than Cost of Materials

Kline's—Third Floor.

August Sale of Shoes Now in Progress—Savings of 10% to 30%

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GRAND-LEADER

Store Opens at 8:30—Closes at 5; Fridays at 5:30



Much in Your Favor Are New Fall Suits at \$35

THE time-worn objection to early buying of new season Suits loses the last bit of its force before this presentation. Surely the thriftiest of purchasers will agree that a well-tailored Suit of good quality tricotine is a good buy any time at this price—and to secure advance season styles in addition, is a triumph of economy. We invite your inspection of this particular group, as well as other presentations of Fall Suits.

(Third Floor.)

Final Disposal Announcement on

Misses' and Girls' Summer Dresses

Girls' Dresses, \$1.69

If you happen to be the purchasing agent for one who wears Dresses in a size from 8 to 14 years, a real bargain awaits you.

About 300 dainty batiste Dresses, tucked and frilled, organdie trimmed, with wide sash, in pink, rose and maize, are offered at the one price.

(Girls' Store—Third Floor.)

Misses' Summer Dresses

ONLY about two hundred of these Dresses remain—

Organdie Gingham
Voile and Swisses

—and regardless of original prices we reduce them to sell in one of the following value-giving groups—

\$1.98 \$2.98 \$4.98 \$7.50

(Misses' Store—Third Floor.)

Wednesday Specials on "Thrift Avenue"

The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Women's Aprons, \$1.00

In regular and extra sizes. Smart new styles, including Martha Washington and sash models. All made of percale, in light or dark colors. Sizes 36 to 52. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Children's Drawers, 35c

Bloomer style, made of cambric, trimmed with neat embroidery edge. Sizes 2 to 12 years. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Women's Wash Dresses, \$1.98 and \$2.98

A manufacturer's surplus stock secured at a great price concession, which is the reason for their low prices.

Pretty models, of tissue gingham, plaid and checked gingham, batiste and organdie-trimmed percale. Every wanted color is represented. Sizes 36 to 46. Extraordinary values. (On Thrift Avenue.)

White Petticoats, 89c

Cambric Petticoats with double panel front and scalloped bottom. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Longcloth, 10 Yards, 95c

Soft-finished Longcloth, made of select cotton. 30 in. wide. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Bungalow Sets, \$8.75

Consisting of 42 pieces, complete service for six persons. Of American semi-porcelain, decorated in dainty bluebird and floral designs. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Iced Tea Glasses, 19c

Thin-blown Iced Tea Glasses, in assorted designs.

Pink Confiners, 29c

Fancy pink batiste Confiners, good fitting; all sizes. For wear with low corsets. (On Thrift Avenue.)

On the "Squares"

White Voile, 15c Yard

Fine quality Voile, made of select cotton; 36 inches wide. (Escalator Square—Main Floor.)

Colored Voiles, 19c Yard

Solid shades and a large assortment of printed patterns, in this season's designs. 36 inches wide. (Escalator Square—Main Floor.)

Swiss Organdie, 69c Yd.

Stoeffel's White Organdie, of exceptionally fine quality; very sheer; permanent finish, which requires no starch in laundering. 45 inches wide. (Square 7—Main Floor.)

Pegtop Rompers, \$1.25

Children's Chambray Rompers, in pink or blue; hand-stitched nursery designs. Have pockets, collar and cuffs, piped in contrasting color. Sizes 2 to 6 years. (Square 16—Main Floor.)



Wednesday—Baby Day

HAVE you become a regular visitor in our Baby Shop? Its soft grays and blues, its restful arrangement, its well chosen merchandise for wee ones, have made it a favored corner with many mothers. Wednesday is an excellent day to make its acquaintance, since at that time special effort is made to offer unusually attractive prices.

Infants' Slips of nainsook, made in Bishop style, with lace edged neck and sleeves, 59c
Pillowslips, beautifully hand-embroidered and scalloped, \$2.98
"Red Star" Bird's-eye Diapers, hemmed and ready for use, size 18x36 inches; package of one dozen, \$1.85

Rubber Pants with elastic at waist and knee, 39c
Quilted Pads, size 27x34 in., \$1.00

Infants' white flannelette Petticoats, finished with shell stitching, 39c
(Second Floor.)

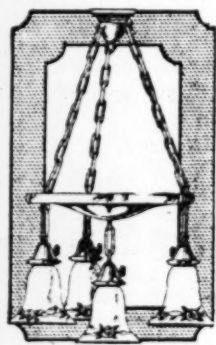
Now Selling—Our Entire Stock of Philippine Lingerie At 25% Discount

THIS very appreciable reduction offered on our stock of Philippine hand-embroidered Lingerie should suggest supplying needs, present and future.

Gowns, Envelope Chemise, Petticoats, Straight Chemise, Corset Covers and Drawers.
—of finest lingerie cloth, trimmed with handmade laces, drawwork. Calado, sprays, eyelets and scallops are included. (Second Floor.)

Four-Light Fixtures

Reduced to \$8.95



THESE fixtures are composed of solid brass plate in brush brass or Flemish finish, suspended on three chains from brass canopy, with four droplights. Complete with glassware, wired and ready to hang.

Two-Light at \$6.75

Fixtures with two lights suspended on chains from brass canopy to solid brass bar, decorated with Sheffield ornaments. Complete with glassware, wired and ready to hang.

Three-Light at \$6.95

Composed of 12-inch solid brass plate with three light chain drops. Complete with glassware and finished in brush brass. Wired, ready to hang. (Fifth Floor.)

9x12 Axminster Rugs

Seamed and Seamless, at \$47.50

AMONG the lot are some of the finest grade woven in America. Seamed and seamless Rugs. The soft blending of colorings combined with Persian designs, make them most desirable for living or dining room. All are wonderful values.

Wilton Rugs, \$66.75

Cashmere Wilton Rugs, woven seamless, finished with beautiful fringe on ends. You may choose from a large assortment of designs and colorings. Size 9x12 feet.

Velvet Rugs, \$33.75

Although these Rugs are stamped "imperfect," we have examined them closely and the only fault we can find is a slight discoloration in the yarn in the background. Size 8x10.6 ft.

4-Yard-Wide Linoleum, 89c Sq. Yd.

Nairn's and Armstrong's Cork Linoleum—America's leading makes. On account of the extreme width, will cover the average floor without a seam. All are subject to slight imperfections. (Sixth Floor.)

Articles for the Housewife

Are Offered at Very Low Prices

Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaner

—will be sent to your home on 10-days' trial. Permit our demonstrator to explain to you the merits of this wonderful aid in house cleaning. Purchase may be made on our convenient payment plan. \$5.00 down—\$5.00 a month.

Aluminumware

Teakettles of good grade aluminum: 5-qt. with bail handle and wood handle grip, \$1.29

Double boilers of heavy gauge aluminum; 2-quart, with aluminum cover that fits both vessels, \$1.49

Saucepans of "Mirro" aluminum; 1½-quart straight shape, 49c

Sink Strainers of "Mirro" heavy gauge aluminum, \$1.00

Preserving Outfit, \$1.98

"Mirro" Aluminum Preserving Outfit, consisting of one 8-quart kettle, one ladle and one combination fruit funnel and strainer.

Combination Cookers, \$1.79

Four pieces, can be used as a double boiler, a steamer, a covered kettle, covered casserole, baking dish and pudding pan—of heavy gauge aluminum.

Dishpans, 79c

Dishpans of dark blue enamelware; 14-quart capacity, with side handles.

Androck Ovens, 79c

Save fuel and keep cool by doing your baking in one of these Androck Ovens. Will also roast potatoes, vegetables and meats. Fit over any gas burner.

Ice Cream Freezers, 98c

The "Acme," 2-quart size, made of metal. Will freeze cream in a very short time.

Clothes Hampers

Mexican Cane Hampers, extra well made; Small size, \$1.25

Medium size, \$1.75

Large size, \$2.25

Clotheslines, 59c

"Saxon" Clotheslines, 75-foot section; non-kinkable.

Mop and Oil, \$1.10

"Wiz a r d" Mop, extra well made, triangle shape; complete with one bottle of Wizard furniture polish. (Fifth Floor.)



Early Morning Specials Until 11:30

IN our spacious air-cooled store, Summer shopping is never a chore, but it is particularly enjoyable early in the morning. These specials add to the zest. There will be no mail or telephone orders accepted on them.

Silk Stockings, \$1.60 Pair

Women's full-fashioned Silk Stockings, in black, gray and various shades of brown. Lisle heels, toes and garter tops. Priced special until 11:30. (Main Floor.)

White Sateen Petticoats, \$1.00

Shadowproof, with double panel; finished with hemstitched hem. Priced special until 11:30. (Second Floor.)

Bracelet Watches at \$10.00

High-grade small model Watches, in guaranteed American gold-filled case. 15-jewel lever movement. Guaranteed reliable timekeeper. Buying limit two. Priced special until 11:30. (Main Floor.)

Pebeco Tooth Paste, 32c

Lehn & Fink's Pebeco Tooth Paste. Buying limit two tubes. Priced special until 11:30. (Main Floor.)

Neenah Fiber Rugs, \$2.85

Reversible and durable Rugs in pretty blue, gray, tan and green colorings, and in size 36 feet. Priced special until 11:30. (Sixth Floor.)

Children's Umbrellas at \$1.15

Gloria Cloth Umbrellas, built on strong paragon frames. Handles of ebony, mission and natural wood, with wrist cord loops through handles. The boys' Umbrellas have opera and hook style handles. Sizes 18 to 24 inch. Priced special until 11:30. (Main Floor.)

Tan Pongee, 89c Yard

Several hundred yards of Pongee in tan color; durable quality, in a rough weave, desirable for drapery use. 36 inches wide. Priced special until 11:30. (Drapery Dept. Sixth Floor.)

Mason Jars, 69c Dozen

Fruit Jars in one-pint size, complete with screw caps and rubbers. Priced special until 11:30. (Fifth Floor.)

Featuring for Wednesday—

Extra-Size Silk Petticoats

At \$3.69

Petticoat season is with us again, and likewise our Annual Petticoat Sale. At this particular time we are featuring garments generously cut for large women. There are, however, attractive offerings in the regular sizes.

At \$5.69

Extra-size Petticoats of silk jersey, deep plaited flounce with inserts of contrasting colors. May be had in colors and black. Quantity is limited.

At \$4.69

Extra-size Petticoats of silk jersey, taffeta and jersey top with peau de cygne flounce, deep flounce or straight models attractively trimmed with small plaitings, tucks, hemstitching and shirring. May be had in pretty changeables, plain colors and black.

Extra-size Petticoats of silk jersey tops and flounce of taffeta or messaline, all-taffeta or all-jersey. Tailored and plaited styles, with trimmings of ruffles, hemstitching, narrow plaitings and tucks. All the wanted street shades, changeables and black. (Second Floor.)



DOWNSTAIRS STORE

Save on These Domestics

PAJAMA Checks, soft finished and bleached, 36 inches wide.

Bleached Muslin, soft finished, extra heavy; similar to Indian Head. 36 inches wide.

Towelings of bleached huck crash; striped, for towels and scarfs. 18 inches wide.

White Organdie, 25c Yard

Sheer White Organdie, in the 39-inch width.

Black Sateen, 19c Yard

Mercerized Sateen, solid black; yard wide.

At 15c

3 O'clock Special

Shirting Madras, 19c Yard

All are in woven striped patterns, good colorings. 32 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

Union Suits, 29c

Women's fine ribbed Union Suits; low neck, sleeveless, lace-trimmed and cuff knees.

Knit Waists, 25c

Children's Knit Waists, substantial taping over shoulders; double row of buttons; metal tubing for hose support. (Downstairs Store.)

Stockings, 25c Pair

Women's Mercerized Stockings, black and white. Men's Mercerized Socks in colors and black.

Children's Mercerized Stockings, black, brown and white. Children's Mercerized Socks; assorted fancy tops. (Downstairs Store.)

Congoleum Rugs, \$14.89

"Gold Seal" brand, one-piece style, in pretty patterns for kitchens, dining rooms and bedrooms. Each Rug bears the manufacturer's guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded. Size 9x12 feet; very specially priced.

Velvet Rugs, \$31.79

Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, allover and Chinese effects, in various color combinations; subject to slight misweaves. Size 8x10.6 ft., fringed on ends.

Cork Linoleum, 79c Square Yard

Heavy grade printed cork Linoleum; tile and fancy block effects; for bathrooms, kitchens, halls, etc. Have slight imperfections. (Downstairs Store.)

Midsummer Sale of Low Footwear

For Women, \$1.45 Pair

THERE are Pumps, Oxfords and Ties, in a splendid assortment, in all the desired leathers and styles, at this remarkably low price.

White Canvas Footwear, \$1.25 Pair

Women's Pumps, Oxfords, Colonials and Ties of fine white canvas, in all sizes. Just the sort of footwear every woman desires at the present time.

Children's and Infants' Shoes, \$1.00 Pr.

Children's Pumps, Oxfords and Sandals, of patent and dull leather, and Infants' Shoes of patent or dull leather, with colored tops. Sizes to 2. (Downstairs Store.)



Shoes for Little Folks

Wednesday's Offerings Are of Interest

At \$2.00 Pair

"Kewpie Twin" Low Shoes—samples and discontinued lines. Of tan or patent leather, and black calf. Oxford and strap styles, with stitched down soles. Sizes 5 to 11½ are represented.

At \$2.19 Pair

Infants' and children's patent leather and black kid ankle-strap Slippers, with spring heels; sizes 8½ to 11. Sizes 4 to 8 at \$1.69. Without heels, sizes 1 to 4, are priced, \$1.39 pair.

At \$2.98 Pair

Growing girls' white canvas strap Pumps, trimmed with patent leather collar. Goodyear welted sewed soles. Sizes 3½ to 7. Children's and Misses' "Footprint" Oxfords, of patent leather and gummetal. Sizes 11½ to 2 at, pair \$3.48

\$2.98 pair

(Main Floor.)





We have helped many thousands to financial independence by affording a safe place for their savings.

Savings Accounts opened and deposits made on or before Aug. 5th bear interest from Aug. 1st.

\$1.00 at Window 14 Opens a Savings Account

Boatmen's Bank
Broadway and Olive

WABASH ROUND TRIP EXCURSIONS

Every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday during August.

(Effective August 1st)

DETROIT \$15.00
TOLEDO 12.50

Every Saturday during August.

PUT-IN-BAY, O. \$14.00
CEDAR POINT, O. 15.25
CLEVELAND, O. 17.00
BUFFALO, N. Y. 21.00
NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y. 22.00

All Tickets Good for 12 Days

Not valid for travel on above dates.

Tickets good on all Wabash trains leaving St. Louis 8:15 a. m., 5:32 p. m. and 11:52 p. m. on above days.

Tickets good in parlor and sleeping cars on payment of the usual charges.

Tickets and Full Information at Wabash Ticket Office

328 N. Broadway—Corner Locust

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Yeast Vitamin To Round Out Face and Figure

With Firm Healthy Flesh and Beautify the Complexion



If you are hollow-cheeked, yellow-skinned, sunken-eyed and generally weak or run down and want to round out your face and figure to pleasing and normal proportions, you will find this simple test well worth trying: First weigh yourself and measure your waist. Next take VITAMON—two tablets with every meal. Then weigh and measure yourself again each week and continue taking Vitamin regularly until you are satisfied with your gain in weight and energy. Vitamin contains highly concentrated yeast-vitamins, as well as the two other still more important vitamins (Fat Soluble A and Water Soluble C), and is now being used by thousands. It positively will not upset the stomach or cause gas, but on the contrary is a great aid to digestion, to overcome constipation and as a general conditioner of the whole system. Pimples, boils and skin eruptions seem to vanish like magic under its purifying influence. The complexion becomes fresh and beautiful, the cheeks rosy instead of pale, the lips red instead of colorless, the eyes bright instead of dull, and a smiling and alertness are the result. Success is absolutely guaranteed if the real cause was nothing. Be sure to remember the name VITAMON—the original and genuine yeast-vitamin tablet—there is nothing else like it. Get it at any drugstore.



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CLOTHES FASHION CLEANERS

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Embarrassing Hairs Can Be Quickly Removed

(Ready Culture)

Hairs can be easily banished from the underarms, neck and face by this quick and painless method. Mix into a stiff paste some powdered talcum and water, spread on hairy surface and in 2 or 3 minutes rub very hard the paste and it will be free from hair or hairs. Reapplying is sufficient. To avoid discoloration, use the product in an original package and mix fresh.

ACTION ON PARKLAND RESOLUTION DEFERRED

Mayor Stephens of East St. Louis Puts Formal Protest Up to City Council.

A resolution introduced in the East St. Louis City Council yesterday by Mayor Stephens protesting against the purchase of 104 acres of ground for \$184,000 by the Park Board, to be used for park purposes, was laid over until the meeting next Monday, so that members of the Council could ascertain if it would be proper for the Council to find fault with the action of the Park Board. The Park Board is elected and operates separately from any other municipal department.

The resolution reads: "Whereas, it has been reported that the Park Board of this city, at a meeting on July 19, voted to purchase or agreed to purchase, 104 acres of land for the sum of \$184,000, which is an exorbitant price, and issue \$250,000 worth of bonds in payment of same, and as the city is not in need of any more property at this time for park purposes, unless it is small tracts within the city limits, and as many citizens have expressed their protest and recommended that some action be taken to prevent the consummation of the purchase of these properties, and as we are informed that there are outstanding Park Board bonds past due that should be taken care of before issuing more bonds, therefore be it

Resolved by the Council of the City of East St. Louis, That it goes on record, protesting against the purchase of these properties, and also against the issuing of \$250,000 worth of bonds at this time, and that we most respectfully recommend to the members of the Park Board to rescind their action of July 19, and not attempt to carry out any of their agreements in reference to the purchase of these lands, or the issuing of \$250,000 worth of bonds, and that a certified copy of this resolution be presented to the members of the Park Board."

Mayor Stephens moved that the resolution be adopted, but Commissioner O'Leary proposed that action be deferred until next Monday, so that an investigation could be made. O'Leary's motion was adopted by a vote of 3 to 2.

Mayor Stephens said the resolution was prepared after he had talked with Henry T. Renshaw, a member of the board, who assured him that the ground purchased from Harry Kramer, a member of the East Side Levee and Sanitary District Board, for \$900 an acre. The two parcels purchased at Jones the two parcels adjoining Jones Park were ordered purchased at \$2000 an acre, one tract from the owner direct, and the other, of 62 5-10 acres, through the real estate firm of Bowman and Miller, which obtained options on the ground ranging from \$750 to \$1500 an acre, except for one acre, at \$4700.

MYRNA SHARLOW, OPERA SINGER, IS MARRIED IN CAPRI, ITALY

Former Central High School Girl Is Wedded on July 9 to Edward R. Hitchcock.

Miss Myrna Sharlow, a grand opera singer, who attended Central High School here and whose father was a St. Louis policeman, was married in Capri, Italy, July 9, to Edward R. Hitchcock. Announcement of the wedding was received by friends here today.

The story of Myrna Sharlow's success was most romantic. Daughter of a woman whose wealthy and aristocratic relatives in Louisville had cut her off from the family because of her marriage to the impetuous Sharlow, Myrna attracted attention at Central High school not only by her singing, but also by her vivid and energetic personality. By sheer hard work and talent she worked her way to the top of her profession.

Her grand uncle, Milton Smith, president of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, hearing of her talent, sent her abroad to study under the best masters. Her success was pronounced. She sang in Paris and Milan, and returning to this country, became a member of the Chicago Opera Co.

She visited St. Louis with that organization a few years ago, and received an ovation on her first appearance here. Announcement of the marriage states that she will reside at the Villa Corbelli, in Capri. Nothing is known here of Hitchcock.

Gurney Mitchell, Sculptor, Dies.

By the Associated Press.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 2.—Gurney Mitchell, noted sculptor, is dead at the home of his sister, Mrs. Laura M. Kimball, in this city. His brother, Francis B. Mitchell, is publisher of the Rochester Post-Express.

Nugent's

The Store for ALL the People

Prices in Our Eight-Page Circular Hold Good While Lots Last

Wednesday is "Special Day"

In every section of this store, from the basement to the top floor, amazing values will be the rule Wednesday. 60 decidedly underpriced specials are listed here—others, too numerous to advertise, will be on sale throughout the store.

\$1.50 Tablecloths
61x61-inch hemstitched pattern Tablecloths, offered in the great August Sale at a saving of 33 1/3% on the regular price.

\$1.00
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

\$5 Rugs

An exceptional offering of 27x54-inch Axminster and Velvet Rugs, in pretty assorted patterns and attractive color combinations.

\$2.55
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Boys' \$10 Suits
Full-belted Two-Pants Suits with flap pockets. Newest Fall mixtures of greens, grays, browns and other wanted shades, in plain colors, checks and stripes. Sizes 8 to 17 years.

\$7.00
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

\$3.50 Nainsook
One of the best values in the August sales is this 36-inch Bolt Nainsook at \$2.19 a bolt, 10 yards in piece. All put up in separate boxes.

\$2.19
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

\$1.50 Thermos Bottles
1000 of these celebrated Thermos Bottles, in the popular pint size. The celebrated Turtle Brand, with nickel cap and button. Covered with leatherette.

89c
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

75c House Brooms

Well-sewed Brooms of excellent quality broom corn. Have polished handles. Limit 2 to a person.

33c
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

\$1.98 and \$2.50 Rugs
Heavy-weight Bath Rugs for only \$1.00. These are shown in very attractive light or dark colors and are exceptional values at, each, \$1.00.

\$1.00
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Boys' \$1.50 Pants
Boys' cassimere Knickers in plain colors and stripes, in newest patterns. Sizes 8 to 16.

\$1.00
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

19c Outing Flannel
A good weight of 27-inch heavy fleeced plain white Outing Flannel; an exceptional value.

12 1/2c
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$3.50 Lunch Kit
Thermos Japanese Lunch Kit, consisting of strong metal box complete with pint Thermos bottle with handle.

\$1.98
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

19c Printed Percal
36-inch Percal in white grounds with neat printed striped and figures. Very special at 15c.

15c
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$6.95 Bathing Suits
Women's California knit Bathing Suits, with trunks attached, in dark and light shades, with fancy woven borders and stripes, in V and square neck. Also models with belts.

\$3.95
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

36-Inch Percal
36-inch Percal in white grounds with neat printed stripes and figures. Special in the great August Sale at 15c.

15c
(Basement—Nugents.)

55c Bleached Sheet
Sheeting, good wearing quality. Special in this great August Sale at 33c.

33c
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$1 to \$1.25 Aprons
Sample Aprons of cotton, trimmed with sheeting, plaid gingham, fudge or Polly Prim, bib aprons and open back bungalows of striped or checked gingham. Limited quantity.

50c
(Basement—Nugents.)

50c Scalloped Pillowcases
Excellent group of very pretty scalloped Pillowcases, 42x36 inches in size, offered Wednesday at the special August Sale price of 40c ea.

40c
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

\$2.50 Envelope Cases
Seldom are such attractive values available at such low prices as \$1.95 a pair. Pretty embroidered in white or pink, in pretty designs and finished with daintily embroidered edges.

\$1.95
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Pequot Sheets
A 72x90-inch Pequot Sheet for only \$1.40. Surely no housekeeper will be without a good supply when you can obtain them so much below regular.

\$1.40
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

95c Mixing Bowl Set
Four-piece blue banded Mixing Bowl Set, consisting of one 5, one 6, one 7 and one 8 inch size. Special in the August Sale.

59c
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

\$2.50 & \$3.50 Serge
Mill remnants of mannish serge, in one to five yard lengths. 54-inch best all-wool, double warp, close twill, good weight, in navy blue or black.

\$1.89
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

75c to \$1.50 Shears
A special offering of finest grade domestic and imported Scissors and Shears, from 4 to 7 inches long, made with either pointed or half round ends. Specially priced at 47c.

47c
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

\$1.75 Swiss
A splendid lot of the much-wanted 40-inch imported 30-inch wide Swiss, in white and colored grounds, with neat embroidered patterns.

\$1.00
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Four-Hour Sale Boys' \$8.50 Suits

Two-Pants Cassimere Mixture Suits in brown, tan and heather mixtures in the all around flap pocket model. Full cut, full lined knickers. Sizes 8 to 16.

\$4.85
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

\$17.50 Steel Beds
Three-quarter or full size Steel Beds with 2-inch continuous post and top rail, with heavy fillers. White, gold or oxidized finish.

\$12.95
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

\$9.00 Cotton Mattresses
50-lb. all-white cotton Mattresses, with roll edge and double stitched ends. Covered with good ticking.

\$7.25
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

\$9 Steel Couches
4x6-foot all-steel Couches, with drop sides and heavy angle frame, equipped with double link fabric non-sag springs; strong and restful.

\$7.90
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

\$3.50 to \$4.50 Dresses
Children's colored hand smocked and stitched Dresses of fine chambray and crepe, in high-waist belted models. Trimmed with contrasting colors in pink, blue and yellow. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Slightly soiled.

\$2.00
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Special! 50c Rubber Diapers
White rubber Slip-on Diapers, with pink stitching. Elastic at waist and knee. Small, medium and large sizes.

39c
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

50c Baby Shirts
Summer line Shirts, in button front style, with long or short sleeves, finished with shell stitch edge; slight wrinkles. Sizes to 3 years.

50c
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

75c Pillow Slips
14x17-inch Pillowslips made of sheer lawn, trimmed with scalloped embroidery edge. Specially priced in the Million-Dollar August Sale.

50c
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

\$1.95 Figured Lawn Kimonos
Figured Lawn Kimonos, made in coat style effect with ruffle trimmings and finished at waistline with tie belt. Wonderful color assortment.

\$1.48
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

\$3.95 Kimonos
Women's dotted Swiss and Secco Silk Kimonos, in pretty lace styles in dotted Swiss with lace and ribbon trimmings. Secco silk Kimonos in neat floral patterns.

\$2.69
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Children's \$2.50 Bathing Suits
Children's all-wool California knit style, in dark and light shades, with fancy border trimmings. A splendid value at this special August Sale Price.

\$1.88
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

75c Printed Voile
A choice lot of 42-inch Voile in white and colored grounds with printed checks, figures and stripes.

49c
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

MILLION DOLLAR AUGUST

Advance Sale of Fall Dresses Women

Hundreds of the most beautiful, new Fall Frocks imaginable make up this wonderful group—all at savings that will appeal strongly to critical judges of values. Delightful Canton crepes, crepe de chine, mignonettes, Georgettes, crepe satins and beautiful combinations in smart, new shades of navy blue, brown, black and other shades. Women's and misses' sizes.

\$25

From Far and Near Women Are Coming to Share in Our August

Black Silk Sale

Buy Silks for Your Fall Dresses Now—at these Big Savings!

Black Satin Canton Crepe
40-inch soft lustrous quality, a Canton Crepe with a satin face; one of the new Fall weaves.

\$3.96

\$3.00 Black Crepe de Chine
40-inch black Crepe de Chine, extra heavy quality.

\$1.96

\$3.50 Black Crepe de Chine
40-inch black Crepe de Chine, extra heavy quality; good, rich black.

\$2.26

\$4.98 Black Cambridge Crepe
40-inch spiral woven black Crepe for suits, wraps and dresses.

\$3.96

\$2.50 Black Crepe Meteors
40-inch black Crepe Meteors, soft satin finish.

\$1.86

\$4.75 Black Chiffon Velvets
39-inch black Chiffon Velvets, soft rich finish.

\$3.86

\$6.50 Black Chiffon Velvets
40-inch black Chiffon Velvets, nice quality.

\$3.96

\$7.98 Black Chiffon Velvets
41-inch black Chiffon Velvets, soft splendid quality for gowns and wraps.

\$4.69

\$3.50 Black Satin Princess
36-inch black satin Princess, soft lustrous quality.

\$2.66

\$2.50 Black Crepe de Chine
40-inch black satin Crepe de Chine, splendid quality for dresses or blouses.

\$1.66

\$5.50 Black Canton Crepe
40-inch extra fine quality Canton Crepe, splendid black.

\$4.98

\$4.50 Black Canton Crepe
40-inch soft lovely quality black Canton Crepe, beautiful black.

\$2.98

\$4.98 Black Satin Charmeuse
40-inch black satin Charmeuse, firmly woven; a wonderful quality.

\$2.98

\$3.50 Black Satin Charmeuse
40-inch soft splendid gown satin, firmly and closely woven.

\$2.98

\$7.50 Black Satin Ideal
40-inch black satin Ideal, heavy, lustrous quality, for elegant dresses.

\$5.98

Basement Sale \$5 to \$7.95 Dresses

Over 800 smart, stylish Wash Frocks for every and any Summer occasion, including many new Jumper Dresses as well as all other wanted styles of the season. Delightfully fashioned of plaid and check gingham, organdies, voiles and linens in all sizes for women, misses and juniors.

(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

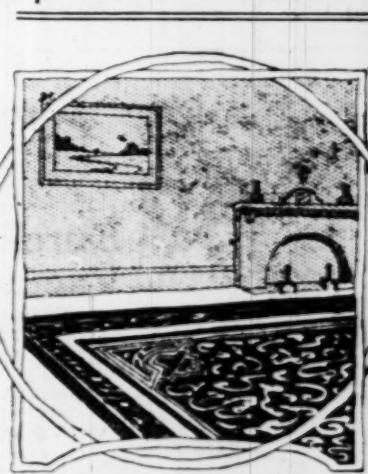
10 O'Clock Special Our Entire Stock Printed Voile at

39c woven colored striped Voile.
39c embroidered Voile.
49c printed Voile.
75c woven English Voile.
50c silk mixed Voile.
50c Satin striped Voile.

\$2.48

\$2.98

\$60 Velvet Rugs



Special at

\$39.44

\$65 Axminster Rugs
9x12-foot seamless Axminster Rugs, one of the best grades made. Strictly new patterns and color combinations suitable for any room in the house. Slight second.

\$48.85

\$27.50 Brussels Rugs
9x12-foot seamless Brussels Rugs, in fast colors, patterns and colorings new and up-to-date. Second.

\$19.95

\$60 Axminster Rugs
9x12-foot seamless Axminster Rugs, in very desirable patterns and colorings; deep pile. Second.

\$38.75

\$44 Velvet Rugs
9x12-foot seamless Velvet Rugs with heavy fringed ends. Beautiful patterns and rich colorings. Mill seconds.

\$35.45

\$5.95 Axminster Rugs
27x34-inch very heavy closely woven Axminster Rugs, in Oriental and small all-over designs and rich colorings. Second.

\$4.35

\$1.75 Velvet Carpets
27-inch Velvet Carpet, suitable for stairs and hall runners. Pretty patterns; yard.

\$1.35

\$145 Daniels' Wag Machine

\$1.25 Willow Baskets, well made; sale price, 75c.
All-Willow Ovens, Hampers, with special value.
75c Garbage Cans, heavy galvanized iron, with rim covers.
7c Crystal White Laundry Soap (no phone orders), ten bars for .48c.
Kitchen Kleaner (no phone orders), sale price, five cans, 22c.

9x12-ft. Seamless Velvet Rugs, in a variety of beautiful designs. Colorings of rose, blue, and tan.

Biggest Sales

Women's \$40 to \$70 Fall Suits

An extraordinary group of the most charming new Fall Suits imaginable offered at a saving of \$5 to \$35 on a Suit. Beautiful colors, duvet de laines, tricotines, suedines and yalamas in plain colored, fur trimmed, box, belted, long coat and short ripple models—all with beautiful trimmings of hand embroidery orraid. Women's and misses' sizes.



(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Van Raalte Silk Hose

50 and \$4.50 Van Raalte heavy ingrain all-silk Hose, in black, black with under tops, also grays, brown and taupe; all full fashioned. All sizes 8½ to 10.

50 and \$7.50 Glove Silk Lace Hose

50 pairs Van Raalte glove silk lace Hose; these are slightly irregular in weave; all best lace patterns in black, white, Browns and grays. All sizes 8½ to 10.

50 to \$5.00 Silk Hose

50 pairs of fine all silk Hose; extra heavy silk; irregulars of a well-known make—all fashioned in black, white, brown, grays and taupe. Sizes 8½ to 10. Seconds.

In Ordering by Mail Add 9c for War Tax

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Girl's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Dresses

All new models, fashioned of good qualities of ginghams, chambrays and Bates zephyr ginghams. In bloomer, regulation and Peter Thompson styles—many with novelty pockets, collars and cuffs. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

\$2.95 to \$4.95 Apron Frocks

wonderful group of very attractive Aprons at a saving econo- women will be quick to profit by. Made of best grade of zephyr than in 40 new styles—each seemingly prettier than the other. ee of large and small checks, large and small plaids and stripes various color combinations. Regular and extra sizes.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

\$3.50 to \$4.50 Curtains

Special at \$2.44

Filet net, Scotch net and madras weave Cur- tains, in an almost end- less range of patterns. Some rimmed with lace edges, others scalloped. Every one an excep- tional value at this spe- cial sale price.

\$4.75 to \$5.75 Curtains

Fine quality madras and filet net weaves, in a splendid range of patterns. Shown in ivory, white and Arabian color. A very unusual value at this low price.

\$2.25 to \$2.75 Curtains

Filet net and Scotch net weaves, shown in a very unusual assort- ment of patterns in both allover and plain border ef- fects. Ivory, white and Arabian colors.

98c Terry Cloth

A wonderful assortment of pat- terns and all the wanted colors. Also included are beautiful linen crottenes; slightly imper- fect; a very unusual value at this low price.

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

India Umbrellas

Men's and Women's black rainproof India Umbrellas in large 10-rib style that will not turn inside out. Double strength frame.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

75c Table Damask

58-inch bleached mer- cerized damask. 47c

(Basement—Nugents.)

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

India Umbrellas
\$1.69
Men's and Women's black rainproof India Umbrellas in large 10-rib style that will not turn inside out. Double strength frame.
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Nugents
The Store for ALL the People
Prices in Our 8-Page Circular Hold Good While Lots Last

Wednesday is "Special Day"

We have searched carefully through every department for those things that you want most—and the matchless low prices at which they will be sold tomorrow offers opportuni- ties to save that have not been equalled for many seasons past.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Bathing Suits

Children's All-Wool Bathing Suits, in black, navy and green, with colored border trimmings.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

New Gingham Aprons

Amoskeag ging- ham Aprons, in checks, plaids and stripes, in two- tone effects. Front, side and slip- over-head models, trimmed with contrasting materials, white tap- ing and rick-rack.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Special! Bath Towels, Choice

A rare oppor- tunity to effect a decided saving on long-wearing Bath Towels, in plain white or fancy jacquard designs.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Extra! 89c Bath Towels

A clear saving of 40c on each of these splendid Towels. Shown in plain white or in fancy jacquard de- signs. Exceptional values.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Bath Towels

A splendid group of excellent quality neatly hemmed plain white Bath Towels, offered in the August Sale at the special price of 19c.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Extra! Bath Towels at 29c

Very much under- priced are these fine Towels at 29c, shown in plain white or white with fancy borders; good wearing qualities.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

\$1.95 and \$2.50 Waists—Choice

Lace trimmed and plain tailored Wash Waists of excellent quality voiles and lawns with either long or short sleeves. All the popular collar ef- fects. White and tan. Sizes 36-46.

(Basement—Nugents.)

\$1.50 Camisoles

Wash satin Camisoles with built-up or ribbon strap, trimmed with lace insertion, lace edge and ribbon. Greatly under- priced at 96c each.

(Basement—Nugents.)

85c Extra Size Gowns

Extra size Gowns of good quality nainsook, or slipover style, trimmed with colored stitching. Splendid val- ues at 69c each.

(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

\$1.50 Bed Sheets

81x90-inch very soft finish Bed Sheets; full bleached. No seam. Free from dressing. Excep- tional values at, each, 98c.

(Basement—Nugents.)

Special! 30c Pillowcases

42x36-inch soft- finish Pillowcases, in a very good weight; at this special sale price they are excellent values.

(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

25c Huck Towels

18x36-in. fine heavy quality full bleached Huck Towels, offered at a saving that you should profit by.

(Basement—Nugents.)

35c Plain Sateen

36-in. Sateen in plain colors. Mer- cerized silk finish. Very much underpriced at 25c.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

59c Serge Surf Cloth

36-inch plain black serge Surf Cloth with mercerized silk fin- ish. An excellent value at 44c.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

49c Marquisette

50-inch highly mercerized combed yarn Marquisette, in cream and Arabian color. A very unusual value for this width material.

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

50c White Voiles at 25c

A splendid group of excellent quality White Voiles in striped or checked patterns. Full 36 inches wide.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

39c Smock Cloth—Choice

Much in de- mand and under- priced, too, is this White Smock Cloth for middie blouses, jump- er dresses or nurses' garments.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Extra Special! Longcloth

A full bolt, 10 yards long for only \$1.00. That's a bar- gain, isn't it! Full 36 inches wide. Choice at \$1.00 a bolt.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

59c Serge Surf Cloth

36-inch plain black serge Surf Cloth with mercerized silk fin- ish. An excellent value at 44c.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

15c Outing Flannel

A very good quality plain outing flannel, heavily fleeced, 27 inches wide. Specially priced at 10c.

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PROGRAM BY JUNIORS

NETS \$55.70 FOR FUND

Children's Entertainment at St. Barbara's Hall Aids Post-Dis- patch Work for Babies.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Previously acknowledged... \$4402.84

Show, St. Barbara's Hall, 55.70

Show, 4735 Kensington... 25.00

Carnival, Adelaide and Flor- issant avenues... 22.28

Lemonade stand, 2246 North Market street... 7.95

Lemonade stand, Kirkwood, Mo... 5.00

Show, 938 Beach avenue... 2.55

Lemonade stand, 6825 Scan- lon avenue... 2.00

Blue Birds of Bethel Church... 2.00

Total... \$4524.42

An attractive program of 18 num- bers was given for the benefit of the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund at St. Barbara's Hall, Ham- ilton and Minerva avenues, last Thursday evening, by juniors of that vicinity. The affair was under the direction of Mrs. E. S. Papin, and the ladies of the neighborhood assisted in various ways.

Those who took part were Minette Menaugh, Ruth Menaugh, Anna and Ruth Menaugh, Anna and Serona Head, Wilma Wilhoit, Lucille Papin, Mae Belle Jacobs, Virginia McDon- ald, Elizabeth Goss, Ruth Brown, Delores Brinkman, Roy Paul, Lucille Lahey, Louise Evers, Marie Webb, Alice Pollard, Bessie Frank and Muriel Wyckhoff. The sale of tick- ets and refreshments brought a gross return of \$67 and after all expenses, including the purchase of ice cream, additional cones, janitor hire, etc., were paid, the net amount of \$55.70 was turned into the fund for the babies.

Children's Show Raises \$25.

Children residing on and near the 4700 block of Kensington avenue superintended a show at 4735 Ken- sington avenue, which brought \$25 for the milk and ice fund. The work- ers were Vernon Goodall, Alice and Charles Nelbert, Dorothy Krager, Virginia and Francis Nolan, Theresa Connerina, Theresa Casato, Evelyn Rooderger, Leroy, Gertrude and Doris Sachs, Jimmy Gundy, Raymond Paul and Frances Sachs.

Fifteen children gave a carnival at Adelaide and Florissant avenues and earned \$22.28 for the babies. They were Harold Pule, Eugene Fahrenkrog, Casper Knecht, Jay- smond Eschbacher, Urban Kuaker, Paul Ahlers, Arthur Hummert, Ma- rie Kessler, Bernadine Phelan, Agnes Kennedy, Dorothy Pule, Josephine Fahrenkrog, Selma Lehsten, Roy Bohle and Roy Kuaker.

A lemonade stand at 2246 North Market street earned \$7.95 for the fund. Those who had charge of it were: Esther and Vernice Cooke, Margaret Vonnehae, Melba and Fern Kock, Viola Richard, Arline Forst- ing and Janet Buerbeck.

Lemonade Stand Brings \$5.

Five dollars came from Sarah German of 317 South Harrison ave- nue, and Dorothy Cross of 425 South Harrison avenue, Webster Groves. They earned that amount by selling lemonade.

Vera Louise Weiss and Taylor Swinney gave a show at 938 Beach avenue and earned \$2.55 for the Milk and Ice Fund.

Children in the 6800 block of Scanlon avenue assisted Elizabeth Field and Helen Spreck to sell lem- onade from a stand on the Field lawn, 6825 Scanlon avenue. They earned \$2 for the fund.

The Blue Birds of Bethel Church sent \$2 to the Post-Dispatch Milk and Ice Fund.

LIBERTY BONDS USED IN DICE GAME PART OF BANK LOOT

Kansas Bank Official Identifies as Stolen Securities Wagered by Negro.

Thomas Minihan, assistant cashier of the Blaine State Bank of Blaine, Kan., yesterday identified as prop- erty of the bank, \$3700 in Liberty Bonds found in possession of James Parks, a negro, who was arrested a week ago when it was reported he was offering Liberty Bonds as stakes in a dice game.

The bonds, Minihan said, are part of \$20,000 bond stolen from the bank Feb. 13, 1920, by burglars. Parks, when arrested, said he found the bonds in an ash pit, and later stated that he found them hidden in a saloon on Franklin avenue. He will be taken back to Blaine on charges of burglary and larceny.

ORDER AS TO SEIZED LIQUORS

Federal Dry Agents Required to De- liver Them to U. S. Marshal.

United States Attorney Carroll was informed yesterday that orders have gone forth from Washington in- structing Federal prohibition en- forcement agents to turn over to the Marshals in their districts all stocks of confiscated liquors and all liquors taken by them in future raids.

The order results from difficulties arising here on several occasions when court orders for return of liquors which had been illegally seized to their rightful owners were not promptly obeyed by the agent in charge of the prohibition enforce- ment office. Judge Papp suggested in this difficulty that he had no ju- risdiction over the prohibition agents, but did have jurisdiction over the Marshal, and that for that reason a readjustment of the system of hold- ing liquors should be made by the Department of Justice and the In- ternal Revenue Department. An inven- tory of all liquors now held by the Government probably will be made preparatory to the turning over of the stocks to the Marshal.

J.S. Steamer De Luxe
STANDARD SCHEDULE
Illinois River Cruises, Sunday and Mon- day, 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sunday fare, \$2.00; Monday fare, \$1.50.
Chautauque Trips, 9 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, \$1.00.
Children 3 to 8 years, half fare on Tues- day and Friday only.
Saturday Chautauque Trips, 9:00 to 11:30 p. m. Fare, \$1.00.
Landing at Elkhart for Chautauque, Alton Landings, both ways every day. Southwest sailing charges, \$3.00 to Elkhart. Alton, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, \$1.00. Alton Parked Free at Wash- ington Av. Wharf. Tel- ephone Main 4770 and Central 1000.

J.S. Steamer De Luxe
Wednesday, Aug. 3
JUNIOR
Chamber of Commerce
MOONLIGHT EXCURSION
Leave Washington Av. Wharf 8:30 P. M. Return 11:30.
Dancing Music at 9 O'Clock.
Tickets \$1.00, including Tax.
Autos Parked Free at Wharf.
The Public Invited.

EXCURSION STEAMER SAINT PAUL
Knights of Columbus
DeAudreia, Connell No. 800
ANNUAL
Moonlight Sailing Dance
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3
Leave Washington Av. Wharf
8:30 P. M.—Return 11:30
Tickets 75c, including Tax
Everybody Welcome

STEAMER ST. PAUL
EXCURSION QUEEN
To ALTON and PIATA BLUFFS
Every Week Day, 9:30 a. m. to 8 p. m.
EVERY SAT. AFTERNOON
9:30 to 7:30 p. m.
EVERY NIGHT EXCEPT MON.
Moonlight Excursion down the
river, leaving at 8:30 p. m.
(Sat. and Sunday Nights \$1.00).
DANCING MUSIC AT 9 O'Clock.
SPECIAL EXCURSION
SUNDAY, AUG. 7
Down the river to Alton, Cr. City,
leave 9 a. m., return 7:00 p. m.
\$1.00 round trip.
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Two-Party Line... \$3.25
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Soothing and Healing
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The nastiest species of the cockroach family, and other cockroaches cleaned out with
GETZ COCKROACH POWDER
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Contracts taken to clean out cockroaches, Bed Bugs, Rats and Mice.

Brand-new. Formerly Priced \$15.
Organdie Dress, \$2.50
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Boys' new Wash Suits, 50c; Girls' new Dresses, 50c; Wash Skirts, 25c; Wool Skirts, 50c; Fur Coats, \$1.50; George's Waists, 75c. All kinds of fine clothes bought from the smallest homes at almost your own price. We buy at almost your own price. We buy at almost your own price.
3713 Washington
When in any trouble, just naturally turn to Post-Dispatch WANT ADS, and they'll point the way out.

WOMAN KILLED IN FALL FROM SIDE CAR OF MOTOR CYCLE

Mrs. Isabella K. Prosser Lands on Head When Front Wheel of Vehicle Becomes Loosened.

HER SON AND GIRL COMPANION HURT

Couple Who Were Riding Tandem Receive Cuts and Bruises—Accident in Front of 4057 Easton Avenue.

Mrs. Isabella K. Prosser, 52 years old, of 3851 Cozans avenue, was killed at 8:30 o'clock last night in front of 4057 Easton avenue, when thrown from the side car of a motor cycle driven by her son, James T. Prosser, 21. Her skull was fractured. Prosser and Miss Celeste Davis, 17, of 1305A North Prairie avenue, who were riding tandem, received cuts and bruises.

Prosser was driving west when the front wheel became loose and buckled under the machine, throwing Mrs. Prosser out on her head. The others were thrown off, too. A passing ambulance took all three to the city hospital. Prosser and the girl were able to go home.

John Meskov, 10 years old, of 304A Hickory street, riding a bicycle in front of 2349 Park avenue, yesterday afternoon, was struck by an automobile and thrown against an ice wagon which was being driven out of the yard. He received serious cuts and bruises. The automobile did not stop. The police obtained a license number and Frank Noe of 3953A Botanical avenue, was arrested. He denied that his machine had struck the boy.

Mrs. Naomi Buegard, 25 years old, of 5329 Cote Brillante avenue, crossing Ninth street at Pine street at 10:59 p. m., was struck by a truck driven by John Rice, 19, of 3223 Enright avenue, employed by a commission company. She received injuries of the back and right hip. She was treated at the city dispensary and sent home. A boy told the police that after crossing the path of the truck she stepped back. Rice was arrested.

In a collision between automobiles driven by Hugo Mitzsche, 2925 Salem street, and Charles Mueller of 3423 Stevin avenue, at Russell and Jefferson avenues, at 9:35 p. m., Mrs. Mueller received a scalp wound and a cut on the cheek.

Harry Lamsersiek, 35, of 1491 Obear avenue, was struck at Broadway and Taylor avenue yesterday afternoon, by an automobile driven by James Gramin of 1125 North Eleventh street. He received cuts and bruises.

WEALTHY MISSOURI FARMER WHIPPED BY MASKED MEN

NORBORNE, Mo., Aug. 2.—John Craig, wealthy retired farmer, was seized by masked men Friday night and taken in an automobile about a mile from town, where he was given a severe whipping. He was brought back to town and warned, it is declared, to treat his family better. Craig is reported to have left town.

CHANGE IN TITLE FOR APPELBY

Supervising Dry Agent in This Territory to Do General Inspecting.

John D. Appleby, supervising prohibition agent in this district, has been transferred to a post to be designated "general prohibition agent." It was announced in Washington yesterday.

The change in title for Appleby is in accordance with the plans of the department, recently published in the Post-Dispatch, to make the Federal Director of Prohibition in each State active head of the prohibition enforcement agents for that State. Appleby will supervise and inspect the work of the various directors in the same territory in which he has had control of the enforcement agencies. This territory includes Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and a part of Texas. Shrader P. Howell, prohibition director for Missouri, announced in Kansas City yesterday that E. J. Hoover would remain in charge of enforcement officers in St. Louis.

Body Taken From River.

The body of a man, clad in blue and black bathing suit, was recovered from the Mississippi River at East Grand avenue at 10 a. m. today after a fisherman had seen it floating. It is believed to be that of Oscar J. Christy, 32 years old, of Alton, a traveling salesman for the Landau Grocery Co., who was drowned Sunday afternoon in the Mississippi River when on an outing, five miles north of Alton. Christy's employers offered a reward of \$100 for the recovery of the body.

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And when you consider how generously they repay every dollar of your investment with the comfort they offer during the cold weather and their beautiful modishness, which leaves nothing to be desired—it is not surprising that we have assembled such a large stock for St. Louis women—anticipating the great demand.



Mole Coats \$279.50 to \$698.50
Squirrel Coats \$447.50 to \$895.00
Caracul Coats \$650.00 to \$965.00
Beaver Coats \$435.00 to \$469.50
Hudson Seal (dyed Muskrat) Coats \$295.00 to \$595.00
Genuine Mink Coats \$650.00 to \$1225.00
Near Seal (French Cone) Coats \$145.00 to \$315.00
Jap Mink Coats \$525.00
Marmot Coats \$98.50 to \$150.00
Brown and Kit Cone Coats \$57.50 to \$98.50
Ponyskin Coats \$139.50 to \$150.00
Natural Muskrat Coats \$145.00 to \$175.00
Fur Shop—Third Floor.

The August Sale of New Fall Coats

—Offers a host of beautiful self and fur trimmed models that are convincing arguments for buying early—at their very special August prices. They are also correct and charming harbingers of the smart, new Fall fashions, showing quite a different turn in lines and collars. Materials have grown even more luxurious than last year and display the new season's shades in browns, blues and taupes.



Special Groups at \$59.75, \$62.50, \$79.75, \$125.00 Third Floor.

The August Sale of New Fall Suits

—Has real surprises in the way of exceptionally good-looking Fall styles at moderate prices. Both strictly tailored and fur trimmed models are distinctively designed, featuring the new long coats. Navy tricoots are much in evidence, with the rich, new Moussyne and Mochatex Suits promising close rivalry. Tailoring is of the highest character, resulting in perfect-fitting qualities.



Special Groups at \$39.75, \$49.75, \$65.00, \$75.00, \$95.00 Third Floor.

Visit This Sale of Cedar Chests



You will find satisfaction at small expenditure.

A home is incomplete without a Cedar Chest, and in many homes a Chest is an essential part of each individual's bedroom furniture. Prices here are surprisingly low.

Cedar Chests—Special at \$22.75
A new group of extra large storage Chests, 48 in. long, 22 in. wide and 21 in. high.

Colonial Cedar Chest, \$17.95
This Chest is made of genuine Tennessee red cedar, complete with lock and key and easy rolling casters. It is 44 inches long.

Window Seat Chests, \$23.75
45 inches long, of fine cabinet construction; dull gloss finish and neat copper trimmings.

Cedar Chest Shop—Fourth Floor.

After-Inventory Sales

—Now in progress, offer hundreds of important savings opportunities. This is our disposal sale of all small lots and incomplete assortments which are revealed by Inventory; and in order to insure immediate sale, each article is substantially reduced—in fact you can buy hundreds of items at far less than replacement value of today.

Many lots too small to advertise will be placed on tables throughout the store and on the First Floor tables. Look for these special values.

The Drapery Shop

Contributes Special Values in the After-Inventory Clearance.

Curtain Voiles—Special at, a Yard, 39c
40-inch Voile, fine and sheer, in ivory, white and beige, ideal for plain or ruffled curtains.

Tussora Silks—Special at, a Yard, 49c

1000 yards of Tussora Silk, of excellent quality and beautiful luster, suitable for overdraperies. Colors are blue, rose, green, gold and orchid.

Ruffled Marquisette Curtains: Special at, a Pair, \$1.69

We offer 75 pairs of Marquisette Curtains in sheer white open net weaves, finished with 2½-inch ruffle.

Scrim Curtains, 65c Pair

This is truly an exceptional value. The quality is unusual at this low price.

They come in white and ecru, with two-inch hem.

Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor.

\$5 Linen Madeira Luncheon Cloth

Special Price at \$2.75

For the After-Inventory Sale we have repurchased these Cloths and they are truly unusual values. 20 inches in diameter—elaborately hand embroidered.

Madiera Napkins at \$8.50 and \$10.50 a Dozen
Rose scalloped edges and prettily embroidered corner designs. 13-inch size.

Linen Shop—Second Floor.

American Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, for Six

Regularly \$16.50; After-Inventory Price \$9.85

These are values that every woman will appreciate. New octagonal shapes are prettily decorated. You may choose from two designs. We advise early purchasing.

China Shop—Fourth Floor.

Imported Cotton Suiting

35c a Yard

This item is one of the hundreds offered in our After-Inventory Sale. It is 32 inches wide and comes in green, orchid, blue, tan and pink. A splendid fabric for jumper suits or children's dresses.

Wash Goods Shop—Second Floor.

All-Wool Imported Blue Serge

Special at a Yard \$1.95

This is Priestley's Serge, thoroughly dependable, just the quality mothers will want for children's school wear. It is 48 inches wide.

Wool Goods Shop—Second Floor.

Items of Interest

For Summer Protection

—Against moth and dust, a good-looking Cedar Chest is the only remedy. Blankets, furs and woollens are absolutely safe till needed. We are having a special sale this week and you will marvel at the moderate pricing. You may choose a simple "trundle chest" or a most elaborate cabinet model. Ask to see them.

Cedar Chest Shop—Fourth Floor.

Patsy Rompers \$1.95 Pair

Most adorable are these charming Rompers for tots from 2 to 4. They come in pink, blue and tan, trimmed with white bands at neck, knee and short sleeves. They are feather stitched in black and are most attractive and effective.

Baby Shop—Third Floor.

Cool and Sheer

—Are Philippine Gowns at \$2.98. They are exquisitely hand embroidered in beautiful designs and prettily scalloped at their most becoming low necklines. Choices of several designs at \$2.98

Undergarment Shop—Third Floor.

Fresh Shrimp and Asparagus Salad

—Doesn't this new combination sound appetizing? And it is really better than it sounds, as the shrimp and asparagus are so deliciously fresh, and the mayonnaise of the perfect blend used in our restaurant. Try this for luncheon tomorrow only.

Cafeteria—Basement.

New—From France

—Are the most adorable laces you would ever hope to see. For a touch of individuality, choose one in yellow porcelain with brown stripes and gold tinted top, fitted with seal, candle and wax to match. Several other color schemes equally distinctive are here; all have place for quill pen. Prices range from \$3.00 to \$11.00

Quill Pens to match 50c Stationery Shop—First Floor.

Just Received From England

—A shipment of the cleverest Party Favors. The hostess who would find something "different" and unique will appreciate these. A poppy faver is in orange, white and yellow, with receptacle for favors; a necklace, ring or bracelet might be concealed for guests to find. There are scores of styles, all attractively priced.

Candy Shop—First Floor.

Net Guimpes for Jumpers or Sweaters Special at \$1.95

These Guimpes are dainty and cool looking; lace trimmed and sometimes a touch of embroidery. There are also a few sleeveless Guimpes to wear with suit or sweater.

Neckwear Shop—First Floor.



Just Received From France and Ireland—a Large Shipment of

Exquisite Handmade Irish Laces

—which was purchased under exceptionally fortunate conditions—and we have priced these Laces so low as to offer the best lace values in years.

An Irish superstition has it that red-haired people are possessed of magic power—if so, we are convinced that every yard of this Irish Lace was made by the nimble fingers of some red-headed colleen, so beautifully executed are the intricate designs.

The rose and shamrock designs are shown in edgings, bandings and insertions, from the ¼-inch widths at 39c to wonderfully lovely, double-edged galloons—wide edgings and insertions at \$3.95 and \$4.95

Dainty pleat Edgings are only, a yard 25c

A particularly fascinating group is of 1¼ to 1½ inch widths in Edgings and Insertions, at a yard \$1.00

A second group consists of the same lovely rose and shamrock designs in 1¼ to 2¼ inches at \$1.50

Sale starts promptly at 8:30 tomorrow morning.

Lace Shop—First Floor.

50c DAY

We Give Eagle Stamps Jenny & Jenilee We Redeem Eagle Stamps
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

Rugs Velvet Door Mats, size 18x27 in., worth double the price; each. 50c	Paint Ready-mixed floor or house paint, 1 gallon, 1 qt. special, 50c. 50c	5 Yds. 15c Scrim 38 inches wide; special, 5 yds. 50c	Window Shades Opaque Cloth; regular, 50c; light, 25c. 50c
Rompers Children's Rompers; odds and ends; 98c value. 50c	Petticoats Women's Muslin Petticoats, 50c; brocade, 50c; value. 50c	Bloomers Women's Muslin Bloomers, 50c; extra, 50c; value. 50c	Muslin Petticoats Women's Gingham Petticoats, 50c; value. 50c
Pants Boys' Knee Pants; 79c value. 50c	Overalls Boys' Overalls, ages 5 to 15; special. 50c	4 Pairs Socks Men's Full Seam Socks; 4 pairs; value. 50c	2-Union Suits Women's Ribbed Union Suits; 40c value; 2 for 50c
4 Pairs 19c Hose Women's Full Seam Hose; 4 pairs; 19c value. 50c	3-25c Vests Women's Ribbed Vests; 25c kind; 3 for 50c	2 Pairs Hose Children's Ribbed Hose; reinforced; 30c value; 2 for 50c	\$1.00 Corduroy 30-inch Velvet Corduroy, in rose and Copen shades; yard. 50c
3 Yds. 35c Denim Khaki Denim; heavy brown and twilled Denim; 3 yds. 50c	4 Yds. 25c Suiting 27-inch Bomber Suiting; neat stripes, in tan, blue and pink; 4 yds. 50c	10 Spools J. & P. Coats' 10c Thread 150 yd. all num. here, black or white. 50c	2 Yds. 49c Flouncing 27-inch Embroidered Flouncing; eyelash work; 2 yds. 50c
2 Yds. 39c Organdie 40 inches wide; white and all summer colors; 2 yds. 50c	2 Yds. 69c Ratine Yard wide; heavy wavy; Ratine; 2 yds. 50c	3 Yds. 39c Voiles 36 inches wide; neat small; 3 yds.; patterns; 3 yds. 50c	10 Yards 10c Calico Mill lenette; for comfort coverings; special, 10 yds. 50c

Neponset 100% Waterproof Floorcovering
Cut from roll; formerly sold at \$1.00 a yard; has waxed finished back; will wear for years.
Sq. 50c Yd. 50c

White Low Shoes
Women's Canvas Low shoes; sizes 3, 3½ and 4; special for Wednesday only.
50c

Did You Ever Hear of 10 88 note Music Rolls for 50c.
That is what will take place here Wednesday.
10 for 50c

House Dresses
\$1.59 gingham House Dresses, striped, small sizes only; limit 2 to a customer.
50c

600 Trimmed HATS & Untrimmed Shapes Wednesday
50c

Wash Skirts
Regular and extra sizes to 40 waistband. Regular \$1.95 value.
50c

Bathing Suits
White they last, each.
50c

Waists
Odds and ends of all \$1.49 Waists, each.
50c

LINEN SALE

75c Sheeting 66 inches wide; extra heavy fine bleached pure white thread. Sheet. Sold at the lowest price in years; 7 yds. 38c	50c Pillowcases Hemstitched, very fine quality. 42x36 linen. Pillowcases. Sold at 1014 price. About 300 at 25c			
15c to 20c Muslin All yard-wide materials in mill lengths; slightly mottled or spotted; but low values; a fine value; a fine value. 9c	69c Table Damask 36 inch wide; heavy white linen; double hem; floral patterns; 400 yards at yd. 36c	\$2.00 Sheets 48x90 extra heavy linen; double hem; double bed sheets; mill rejects; slightly imperfect. 95c	\$2 Doz. Napkins 18x18 inch; extra heavy linen; double hem; ready for use; 24 lot at each. 10c	39-Inch Muslin Unbleached; in mill remnant; on W. & D. today morning; a yard. 5c
Mosquito Tents More of these Government Mosquito Tents; made of extra quality Marquisette; will cover 2 cots or a double bed. 48c				

To correct some misapprehensions
arising from partial information

The Truth, the *Whole* Truth, and Nothing but the Truth About Newspaper Leadership in Chicago

As to Circulation—

The Circulations of the Chicago daily newspapers for the six months ending March 31, 1921—the latest figures issued—reported by their publishers to the Audit Bureau of Circulations, the "A. B. C.," are as follows:

	Total City and Subs.	Total Country	Total Circulation
The Daily News	389,831	22,473	412,304
The Daily Tribune	313,353	147,386	460,739
The American	314,937	69,272	384,209
The Herald and Examiner	241,995	92,078	334,073
The Post	34,818	9,203	44,021
The Journal	Makes no report to the "A. B. C."		

From which it appears—

1. That The Daily News' city and suburban circulation of 389,831 exceeds that of the second largest (314,937) by 74,894 copies, or over 23 per cent, and that of the third largest (313,353) by 76,478 copies, or over 24 per cent.
2. That The Daily Tribune's country circulation—147,386—exceeds that of every other Chicago daily newspaper.
3. That The Daily News' country circulation—22,473—is next to the smallest in the list, and therefore
4. That The Daily Tribune's circulation in North Dakota, Wyoming, Arizona and

other outlying sections of the country, having the advantage of the twelve extra hours of night mail service common to all morning papers as compared with evening papers, far exceeds the country circulation of The Daily News. So much so—

5. That The Daily Tribune's total circulation (460,739) exceeds that of The Daily News (412,304) by 48,435, notwithstanding—
6. That The Daily News' city and suburban circulation (389,831) exceeds that of The Daily Tribune (313,353) by 76,478.

From all of which it appears that—

The Daily News Is "First in Chicago" in Circulation,
and that **The Daily Tribune Is First in Country Circulation.**

As to Advertising—

The total volume of advertising printed by the Chicago daily newspapers during the six months ending June 30, 1921, as reported by The Advertising Record Co.—an independent audit bureau supported by all the Chicago newspapers—is as follows:

	Number of Columns (measuring 300 agate lines)		Number of Columns (measuring 300 agate lines)
The Daily News	30,974.25	The Herald and Examiner	7,736.56
The Daily Tribune	23,552.73	The Post	8,331.90
The American	13,260.72	The Journal	7,525.89

From which it appears—

1. That The Daily News published during these six months 30,974.25 columns of advertising, as against 23,552.73 columns by the second highest paper—an excess of 7,421.52 columns, or over 31 per cent; and as against 13,260.72 columns by the third highest paper—an excess of 17,713.53 columns, or over 133 per cent.

2. That the Daily News prints over one-third of all the advertising appearing in the six Chicago daily newspapers.
3. The total volume of advertising printed during the same period of six months, according to the same authority, was: The Sunday Tribune, 15,566.76 columns; The Sunday Herald-Examiner, 7,373.94 columns—an excess for the Sunday Tribune of 8,192.82 columns.

From all of which it appears that—

The Daily News is "First in Chicago" in volume of advertising six days of the week, and that The Chicago Tribune is First in Chicago in advertising on one day of the week—Sunday—on which day The Daily News does not issue.

Therefore—

As to daily circulation in Chicago and suburbs, and as to volume of advertising printed by the daily newspapers of Chicago

The Daily News Is "First in Chicago"

SOCIETY WOMEN TO BE CHILDREN'S HOSTESSES

Mrs. Seth Cobb and Girl Volunteers Will Entertain Catholic Home's Guests.

AMONG the girls who have volunteered their services to the Catholic Outing Home this week are Misses Odile Robyn, Adelaide Gross, Helen Harper and Mildred Doyle. Mrs. W. Cobb of 4444 Westminster place, will be hostess at a party at the home Friday evening, in honor of the boys of Father Timothy Dempsey's Day Nursery, who are guests at the home this week. Mrs. W. B. Kinealy of 3557 Goodfellow avenue, entertained 100 of the girls from Father Dempsey's Day Nursery at her home last Thursday. Assisting her were Mrs. Douglas Henderson and Misses Louise James, Caroline Sterling, Gertrude and Veronica Smith, Elizabeth Thatcher, Naomi Brown, Helen and Elaine Volpert and Edith and Aldena Schraubstadter.

Social Items

Mr. and Mrs. Charles von Brecht of 4 Forest Ridge and their daughter, Miss Eleanor von Brecht, will depart Saturday for Chicago. They will be accompanied by Miss Anna Marie Hurley.

Mrs. Parker Saunders of 7007 Maryland terrace and her daughters, Misses Beatrice and Gertrude Saun-

DEPARTS SOON FOR VISIT TO CHICAGO



Miss Eleanor von Brecht

ders, will depart Sunday for a tour of Canada.

Mrs. Annette K. Muller of 3940 Cleveland avenue has departed for a two weeks' trip in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Diehm, 5710 Farmington avenue, and their daughter, Miss Helen Diehm, have returned from Michigan, where they spent the month of July.

Mrs. Leigh Turner and son of Webster Groves are spending the summer in Milwaukee with Mrs. Turner's parents.

Miss Audrey St. Jean of 3829 De Tonty street and Miss Florence Fitzgerald returned yesterday from Chicago.

Miss Mary A. Lynch of 3940 Junata street left Sunday for a six-weeks motor trip through the northern resorts.

Miss Mayme Inman of Texarkana, Tex., who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Philander Craig of 128 North King's highway boulevard, has departed for Fayetteville, Ark., where

she will spend some time before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Rosencrantz of 1048 South King's highway boulevard have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Birdie Rosencrantz, to Samuel J. Roberts of East St. Louis. The wedding date has not been set.

Mrs. Allan H. Clark and two children of Webster Groves have returned from Eagle River, Wis., where they were the guests of Mrs. Leonard Martin.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Joseph Scherck of 4550 McPherson avenue have returned from Charlevoix, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weinstein of 5950 Pershing avenue, will receive at their home Thursday evening in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mrs. E. J. Miller of Jennings, Mo., had departed for Hazelhurst, Wis., to spend the remainder of the summer at her cottage. She was accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Herman Pieper, Mrs. Clarence Gosseling and Mrs. Charles Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ravenscroft of the St. Regis Apartments will depart Aug. 13 for Colorado to spend several weeks in the mountains.

Mrs. J. L. D. Morrison of the Buckingham Hotel has gone to Chicago to spend the month of August.

Mrs. Elizabeth Godwin of Nashville, Tenn., is the guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. T. B. Armistead Jr., of 5903 Kingsbury boulevard.

Mrs. T. B. Armistead of 28 Kingsbury place, departed Saturday for Nashville, Tenn., to visit her father, W. W. Dibrell. She will spend some time at Horn Springs, Tenn., before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce D. Killian of 5210 Pace boulevard have gone to South Haven, Mich., to remain several weeks. They will visit also Benton Harbor, South Bend, Ind., and Chicago.

Chicago University Gets Alton Man. CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—The University of Chicago has announced the appointment of William C. Reaves, former Superintendent of Schools at Alton, Ill., as principal of the University High School.

INTOXICANTS IMPORTED INTO U. S. IN YEAR TOTALED \$5,000,000

Wine Largest Item With 2,000,000 Gallons, and Whisky Second With 1,850,000.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Intoxicating beverages imported into the United States during the fiscal year were valued at more than \$5,000,000 as compared with about \$500,000 in the previous year, according to reports issued last night by the Commerce Department. Wine was the largest item in the list of intoxicants entering during the year, amounting to more than 2,000,000 gallons as compared with 28,000 in 1920.

Whisky came in larger quantities in the past year with a total of 1,850,000 gallons, as compared with 22,000 gallons in 1920.

Great Britain shipped in most of the whisky, France practically all of the champagne, and Spain the greater part of the other wines.

EDGAR SALTUS, PUBLICIST AND AUTHOR, DIES AT 63

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The death of Edgar Saltus, 63 years old, publicist and author, at his home here Sunday, has been announced. He had been ill for several years, but a condition was not considered serious until a week ago.

Saltus was educated here and in Paris and Germany. His first book, "Palace," was written in 1884, followed by "The Philosophy of Enchantment," written the next year. He continued to write until last year. He was first married in Paris to Miss Welsh Smith in 1895, and there was one daughter, Elsie Welsh Saltus. He is survived by his second wife, Marie Giles Saltus.

HOMES FOR CHILDREN WANTED

Aid Society to Pay for Board and Supply Clothing.

Another appeal for homes for children has been made by the Children's Aid Society. There are a number of babies and older children to be placed temporarily in private families, and their board will be paid for and clothing supplied by the Children's Aid. The Aid Society also announces that in the near future there will be a number of children for adoption. Anyone interested either in taking a child to board or in adopting one is asked to call at the Aid Society headquarters, Vandal Building, Olive street and Vandeventer avenue.

Employment for young mothers who must keep their children with them also is sought by the Aid Society. One woman with a child 2 years old wants employment as a cook in a private family, and another with a baby will go out as a housemaid. Either may be seen at the Aid Society headquarters.

ST. CHARLES CO. SOLDIER BURIED

The funeral of Richard A. Vogt, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Vogt, Portage des Sioux, St. Charles County, private, M Company, Thirty-eighth Infantry, who was killed in action at the battle of Jaulgonne, France, July 22, 1918, took place from the St. Francis Catholic Church at Portage des Sioux at 2 p. m. Sunday. Burial followed in the cemetery of that congregation. The funeral services were in charge of Weldon Spring, American Legion. The St. Charles Military band and a number of former service men from St. Charles attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Siedentop, Weldon Spring, St. Charles County, received notice Saturday that the body of their son, Private Conrad Siedentop, A Company, Thirty-eighth Infantry, who was killed in action in France July 15, 1918, had arrived at New York. The funeral, in charge of St. Charles American Legion Post No. 312, will take place at Weldon Spring when the body arrives there, probably Saturday.

PERSHING HOPES TO BE HERE

Gen. John J. Pershing has been invited to attend the St. Louis celebration of the Missouri Centennial in October and in a letter to Eugene Turner, secretary of the St. Louis Missouri Centennial Association, he acknowledges the invitation. He says he very much hopes it will be possible for him to attend, though he cannot make a definite acceptance at this time. "As a Missourian," he writes, "I wish you every success in your preparation for this centennial, and I trust I can join with you in its celebration."

Former Professor Found Shot.

CHICAGO, July 2.—George Fairfield, formerly a member of the faculty of Beloit College, was found dead yesterday with a bullet hole in his head in his room at the Kenwood Club. He was manager of the club. A pistol was beside the body. Fairfield had formerly been employed in the department of romance languages at the University of Illinois and at Syracuse University. He was a graduate of Oberlin College, Oberlin, O. Fairfield's father, Dr. Edmon B. Fairfield, was formerly president of Hillsdale College in Michigan and of the University of Nebraska.

Charged With Gambling on Oil Well.

By the Associated Press. FORT SCOTT, Kan., Aug. 2.—Fourteen residents of Parker, Kan., of the 22 recently charged with gambling there on the probable yield of an oil well, appeared in court in Mound City, Kan., and gave bond of \$1000 each to appear Sept. 12. Eight other defendants who have been arrested are yet to appear. Seven recently pleaded guilty and were fined \$100 each and sentenced to 30 days each in jail. The jail sentence was suspended.

**7%
ON SAVINGS
WITH SAFETY**

Act Now to Get It!

Your savings can earn 7% for you with absolute safety. Perhaps they are earning now much less. Why lose the difference?

REMEDIAL SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

Bought this month draw 6%, if held six months, 7% if held twelve months. Strong collateral secures them insuring absolute safety. And you can buy them as low as \$1.00 per week—money can be withdrawn at any time.

Call, write, or phone today for full information.

Remedial SYSTEM LOANING

Third Floor Chemical Bldg.
ST. LOUIS, MO.

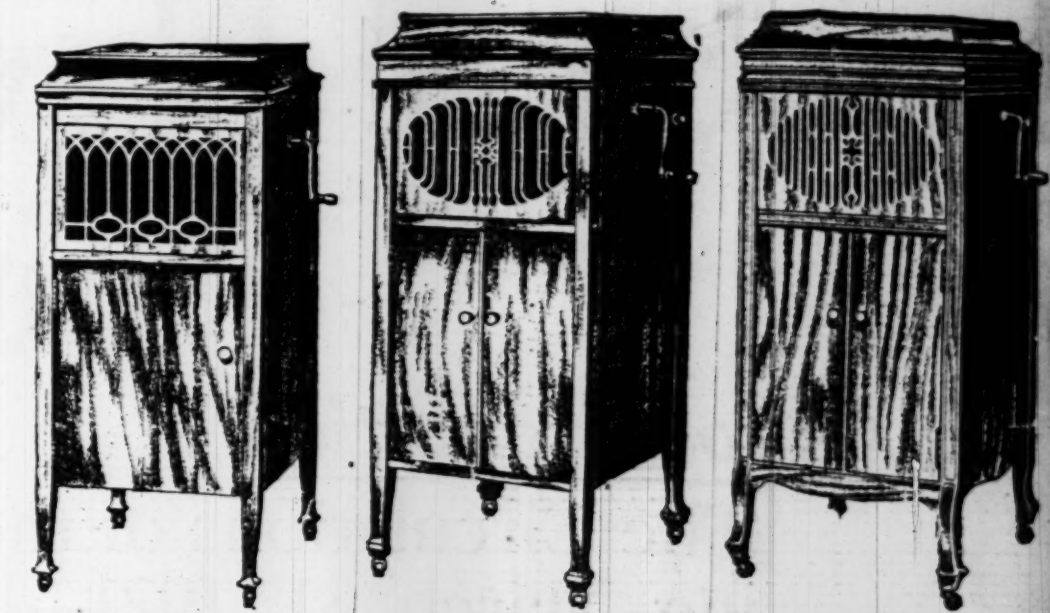
Society
for over 75 years has relied upon Gouard's Oriental Cream to keep the skin and complexion in perfect condition through the stress of the season's activities. Send 15¢ for Trial Size.

F. J. HOPKINS & SON
NEW YORK CITY

Gouard's Oriental Cream

Brunswick Phonographs At Liberal Terms

—Enabling Every Family to Have Music in the Home—
Brunswick Phonographs are noted for their sweetness of tone and their beauty of construction. The fact that they play all records adds to their desirability. Our very liberal terms make it easy to acquire the three models illustrated.



\$8 Cash
\$7 Monthly
Model 107, \$125
Mahogany or oak finish, with an oval all-wood tone amplifier. 43 inches high, 19 inches wide and 21 inches deep.

\$10 Cash
\$8 Monthly
Model 110, \$150
45 inches high, 19 inches wide, 21 inches deep. Mahogany or oak finish. Oval all-wood record amplifier.

\$10 Cash
\$10 Monthly
Model 112, \$200
47 inches high, 20 inches wide, 21 inches deep. Has an oval all-wood tone amplifier and plays all records. Mahogany or oak finish.

FAMOUS-BARR CO.
St. Louis Home of the Ampico in the Chickering Piano.

PLEASE SHOP CAREFULLY NO EXCHANGES OR RETURNS PERMITTED

AUGUST SALE OF FURS

The one opportunity of the year to secure your unrestricted choice of our entire matchless collection of

Finest Quality Fashionable Furs at Savings of 25% to 40%

A collection of almost inconceivable greatness, presenting, in endless variety, every peltry of fashion and quality in modes conceived and executed by the foremost designers and manufacturers in the world. A visit to our third floor will convince you of Garland's superiority as fur merchants as well as the extreme lowness of the new prices for 1921-22. This impressive August Event is your chance to make a fur investment worth while.

BUY FURS IN AUGUST :: PAY IN NOVEMBER

Garland's

A Drastic "Clean-Up" Wednesday of All Stylish Stout and Extra-Size Suits

(New Fall Models Excepted)

CHOICE of Our Finest Spring **SUITS \$35**

Formerly Priced to \$89.50

\$25

Twill Cords
Tricotines
Finest Serges

If you can wear a size 44, 46, 48, 50, 51 or 53 you will want to be here tomorrow. It is seldom that we have such excellent values and fine assortments in large suits to close out at such a low price. They are all suitable for Fall wear.

SUIT SECTION—THIRD FLOOR

A Wonderful Close-Out of Women's and Misses' Crepe Kimonos

This great assortment, including all colors and all sizes, has been regrouped and repriced in three sacrifice lots:

Values to \$5.00 **\$1.85** || Values to \$6.00 **\$2.85** || Values to \$8.50 **\$3.85**

Some are Slightly Soiled but Otherwise Perfect

THOMAS W. GARLAND 409-11-13 BROADWAY

NR TO-NIGHT
Tomorrow's Right

To Give an overtaken and tired system a night of refreshing rest and bright tomorrow is the work of NR tablets. Nature's Remedy keeps body functions regular, improves appetite, relieves constipation. Used for over 30 years.

NR JUNIORS—Little NRs
One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.

Get a 25¢ Box Your Druggist

Vacation Needs
Clip this and put it with your vacation list. Have the Post-Dispatch mailed to your summer address. Mail rates include postage. Order by letter. Address: Circulation Dept., Post-Dispatch, or phone if you prefer.

Value Supreme

is in every packet of

"SALADA"

TEA

Every little leaf will yield its full quota of generous 'goodness'. Sold in sealed packets only.

Scudders-Gale Grocer Co., Agents

Bedell

Washington Avenue Corner Seventh

Season-End Clearance Sale!

High Cost Blouses

Stunning Tricolettes and Georgette Crepes Including Models Formerly Priced at \$6.98

\$2.98

Drastic reductions on lovely Blouses for present and later wear. High cost models in variety of dainty frilled, lace trimmed and tailored types.

Every Blouse included is a costlier creation—featuring a new collar or sleeve or embellishment. The assortment offers widest diversity for selection for every requirement.

CREP DE CH...
All colors, \$1.50 quality. **98c**

O. N. CROCH COTTON
All colors. **8c**

20c TOWEL
Bleached and color, yard. **9c**

WORK SHIRT
Men's, 40-44, \$1.50 quality. **50c**

UNION SUITS
Women's, \$1.50 quality. **25c**

Women's Petticoats
Gingham, \$1.50 quality. **29c**

Boys' K. PANTS
\$1.50 quality. **39c**

COT PA...
6 ft., 4-inch. **\$1.98**

TRIMM HATS
For women, and with up to \$3.00 and floor. **25c**

\$1.50 Value
Summer Dresses. **...**

Infants' S...
\$1.00 quality. **...**

Wide W...
Bonnets, \$1.50 quality. **...**

10c Red B...
der Stock. **...**

We Close at One O'Clock on Saturday.

Gro 1107

The Sale That Everyone Is Talking About!

\$35, \$45 and \$55 All-Wool FALL SUITS



Three tremendous cash purchases, at a time when manufacturers needed money, enable us to offer these splendid All-wool Fall Suits (the products of three of America's most prominent makers) at savings of fully 50%. Come in and see them—you'll realize, at once, why this sale is causing such a sensation in St. Louis. Even if you are not ready to buy, we will be pleased to show you.

Every Suit strictly all wool!
Every Suit hand-tailored!
Newest styles and patterns!
Sizes for men and young men!
Worsteds, cassimeres, chevots!
Even serges and flannels!

WELL

CLOTHING COMPANY
N. W. Cor. Eighth and Washington Av.

Nuxated Iron Imitator Comes To Grief in U.S. Court

ORDERED TO PAY \$1,000 DAMAGES

and to cease using the words "Nux and Iron" on the fraudulent imitation. Another Nuxated Iron imitator was recently caught in Tennessee and given a heavy fine for violation of the criminal law—But the rascals are not all caught yet so beware of substitutes—How to tell the genuine.

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EX-CONVICT ESCAPES FROM CITY HOSPITAL

Thomas Skinner, Charged With Burglary, Decamps After Breaking Open Window.

Thomas Skinner, 21 years old, an ex-convict and prisoner for whom there is a warrant charging burglary, escaped last night from a cell ward on the fifth floor of the city hospital, where he had been taken as a tubercular patient from the city jail Sunday night. The escape was discovered by hospital attendants when a woman entered the hospital at 8:30 o'clock and reported she had seen a barefoot man, clad in pajamas, climb over the fence that incloses the hospital grounds.

It was found that a padlocked window in the ward where Skinner was confined had been opened, after the lock had been broken by an iron bolt, and it is presumed Skinner went through the window, which opens on a slate roof, and crawled across the roof to an unbarred window that opens into a winding shaft descending around an elevator shaft to the basement.

The basement window was not locked, and footprints on the ground outside indicate that Skinner scaled the fence a short distance away. Skinner was arrested the night of July 29, when he was seen to jump from a ladder that had been placed against the Central States Life Insurance Co.'s building at 3207 Washington avenue. The building had been entered by a burglar. He served three and one-half years of a five-year sentence for burglary and was released from the State penitentiary six weeks ago.

THREE HELD IN FRAUDULENT WHISKY PRESCRIPTION CASE

Men Charged With Counterfeiting and Forgery in Federal Warrant.

A Federal warrant charging three men with counterfeiting and forgery, with possessing a fraudulent prescription for whisky, and with an attempt to defraud the Government, was issued today in the first case in St. Louis growing out of the reporting by a druggist of an attempt to have a fraudulent whisky prescription filled.

Carl Turner, 33 years old, of 1312 South Broadway, a clerk in a clothing store at 803 Market street, and Edward Rainey, a negro, black, at 811 Market street, were arrested last night after the proprietor of a drug store at Ninth and Pine streets had reported an attempt to have a fraudulent prescription filled. On the story the told deputies of the State prohibition director, Fred Smith, 36, of 2525 North Taylor avenue, was arrested in a saloon at Ninth and Market streets. Turner said he had tried to have the prescription filled last night at the drug store and the proprietor told him it was fraudulent. Turner said he returned it to Smith, from whom he obtained it, and that Smith sent Rainey back to the drug store with the prescription and the money for the whisky. The druggist retained the prescription and money presented by the negro and notified the Federal agents. Smith said he paid \$2 for the prescription, to a man whom he did not know.

The Federal deputies issued a warrant to druggists last week that many fraudulent prescriptions were being filled, and that whenever one was presented it should be reported.

STILL IN OPERATION FOUND IN HOME ON O'FALLON STREET

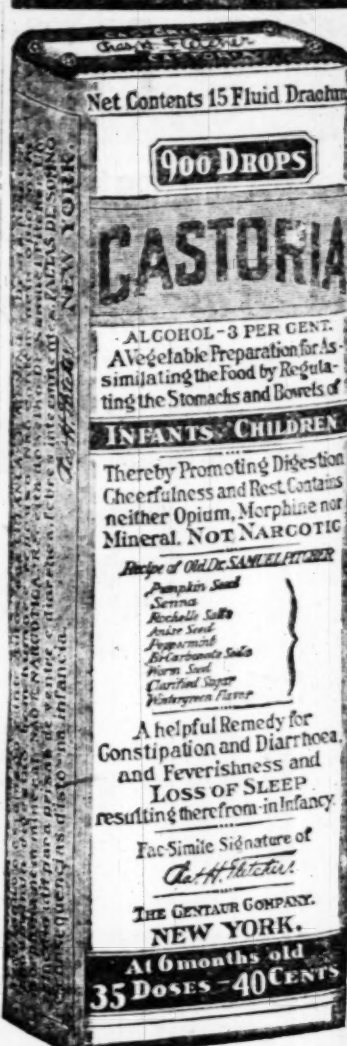
Mash and Whisky Seized and Man Residing There Arrested—Two

A still in operation was found, the police report, when they raided the home of Henry Zozoski, 39 years old, of 1315A O'Fallon street, at 6:30 p. m. yesterday. A half-barrel of mash and a gallon of liquor also was found in the home. The police reported Zozoski admitted ownership of the still and said he was making whisky for his own use only. Acting Night Chief Matthews raided the saloon of Michael Culinovic, 25, of 3903 Kennerly avenue, at 8:30 p. m. after he had received an anonymous telephone message that whisky was being sold there. He reported finding a half pint of whisky behind the bar. The proprietor was arrested.

Tony Riggio, 35 years old, saloon keeper at 425 South Third street, was arrested at his saloon at 5 p. m. after Policeman Syron reported having seen Riggio start to enter a building at 225 Valentine street with a funny and empty bottle in his hand. On seeing the policeman Riggio ran to the saloon, where he was arrested. In the room at the Valentine street address the policeman reported finding a five-gallon jug of whisky, a two-gallon jug of gin and eight quart bottles of gin and whisky, which were confiscated. Riggio denied ownership of the liquor.

Bank at Clinton, Mo., Closed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch: JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 2.—Affairs of the Western Missouri Trust Co. at Clinton, which closed yesterday, today were taken over by four other banks of Clinton, according to a message from Bank Examiner D. W. Rose to J. G. Hughes, Commissioner of the Department of Finance. The trust company was organized last fall with a capital of \$50,000. Hughes said it had closed because some of its loans were not sufficiently liquidated. No one but the stockholders will feel any loss, Hughes said. The deposits were \$116,000.



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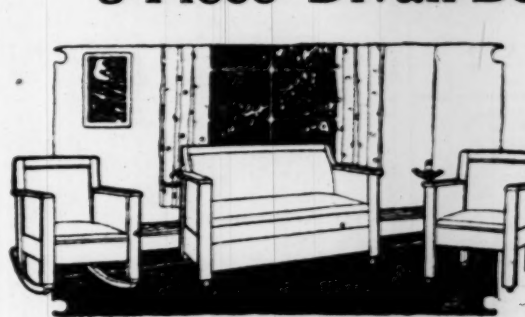
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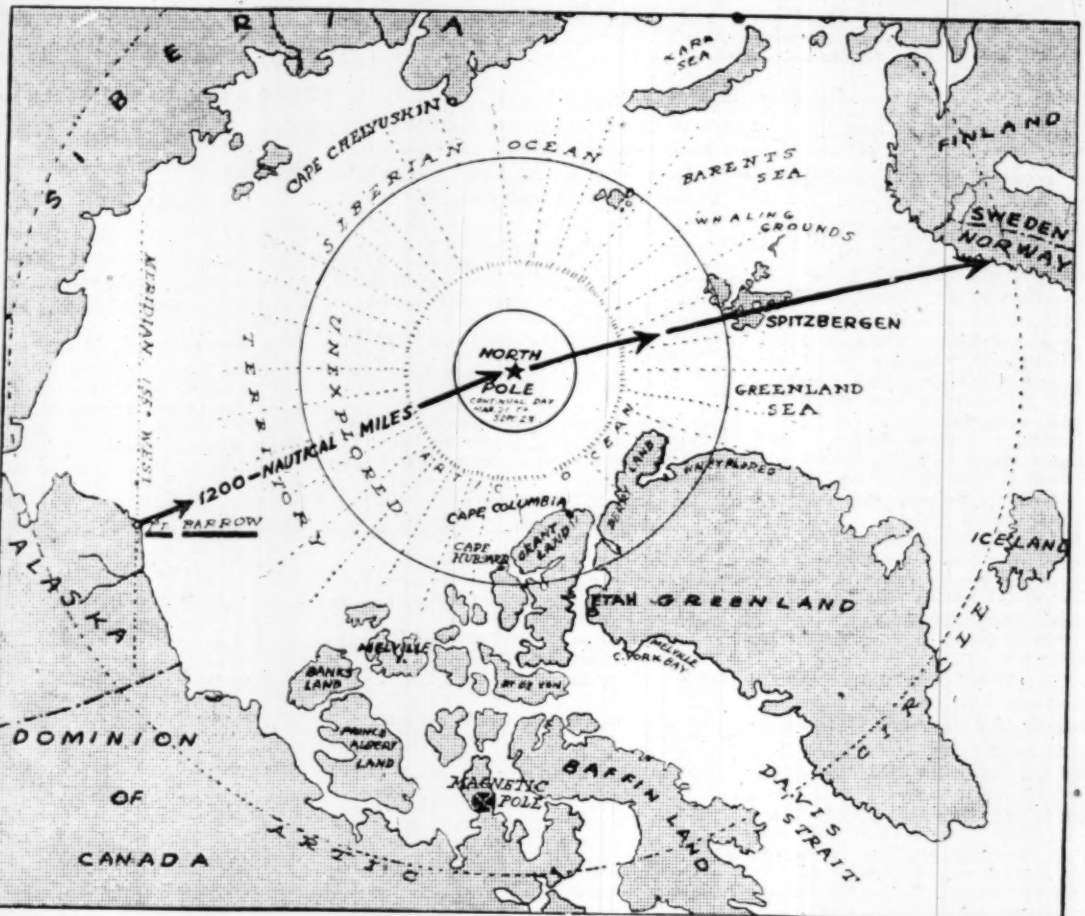
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Wave of Superstition Sweeps Russia in Wake of Cholera; Fires Built to Scare Evil Spirits

People Dig Trenches to Keep Out Plague and Dance Nude in Streets—Scores Crushed in Fight to Board Trains.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.
(Copyright, 1921.)
BERLIN, Aug. 2.—The Lokal Anzeiger's special correspondent in Copenhagen reports that news has been received there from Petrograd that the soviet government has openly declared to leaders of the Mensheviks, or moderate party, that the soviets are no longer masters of the situation.
The Bolsheviks are willing to have all parties come together for the purpose of deciding the future of Russia, the dispatch says, adding that the soviets, the wealthy groups and all other classes are represented on the newly created relief committee, which may take over the reins of government.
Further revolting by Red regiments is reported from Petrograd and Moscow. In Petrograd the Pavlovsk Regiment, owing to the failure of the bread rations, is reported to have rebelled and murdered its officers. The dispatch further states that these tried and trusted communist troops, believed to be among the most loyal of the army, surrounded their leaders, led them away and shot them.
Wave of Superstition.
Remarkable stories are told by refugees of the wave of superstition that is sweeping over Russia as a result of the almost innumerable deaths from famine and disease. At night women dig trenches around the towns, ostensibly to defend themselves against migratory bands of plunderers, but in reality to keep off the evil spirits of cholera.
The scenes are weird beyond description. Bonfires are lighted, around which women dance naked, while men sing holy songs. They believe that the malignant evils of disease will be exorcised in this way.
The soviet medical commissions pass through the towns without being permitted to realize the full extent of the disease, because people suspect the soviets of having issued a decree that all those in the sick barracks shall be tortured to death. The doctors on these commissions who have been able to catch even a glimpse of the real suffering are collapsing under the strain of the terrible sights presented to them. Their horror is overcoming their desire to serve humanity.
Efforts are being made to cope with the situation and to prevent the further spread of cholera by

Map of the Proposed Line of Flight Across North Pole From Barrow, Alaska to Scandinavia



PLANS NORTHERN TRANSPOLAR FLIGHT

E. F. Naulty to Fly in September From Alaska to Norway to Make Observations.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Plans for a transpolar flight in September from Point Barrow, Alaska, to Spitzbergen and the North Cape, Norway, were announced here yesterday by Edwin Fairfax Naulty of New York. Scientific observation of ocean, air and ice currents will be the chief purpose of the trip, he said, with the hope of establishing the feasibility of the new route for commerce as a secondary consideration.
The start will be made from Seattle with a convoy of several planes, which will proceed up the Alaskan coast to Point Barrow, stopping at Ketchikan, Anchorage and Nome. The Arctic flight will be made by one plane carrying four men, Naulty and three former service men.
"We plan to make the flight as early as possible," Naulty said. "Our flight speed we estimate will be about 100 miles an hour, to which might be added the speed of a following air current."
Fuel was conceded to be the chief problem. A supply ample for 50 hours of continuous flight will be carried, it was said, and those planning the attempt expressed the belief that this would furnish an excess which would permit short by-flights at the first landing place on the polar ice and at the pole itself. If no landing places are found, it is the intention to make the 1150-mile trip without a stop.
Without criticism of what has already been done, Gallagher said the citizens of St. Louis should keep a careful watch to prevent the municipal opera enterprise from deteriorating to the commercial theatrical level as, he said, it might easily do if the ideals of its management should fall to the plane where the mere making of money would be the principal object of the producers.
"St. Louis has the best and most beautiful open-air theater in the world," said Gallagher. "It is a theater which is worthy of the best, both in point of production and artistic interpretation. I have no desire to criticize. I have been with the Municipal Opera Company since its inception and my relations with the management have always been pleasant."
"As an artist who fully appreciates the magnificence of this theater, I only wish to bring to the people of St. Louis a realization of their responsibility for keeping up the standard, so that artistic and educational standards of the performances given there will never be permitted to deteriorate."
Warns What to Avoid.
"One thing to be avoided is a tendency toward mere theatricalism—the inclusion in the repertoire, or the injection into the works," produced, of matter or methods which have value only as theatrical entertainment, but no value along the lines of education or art."
"The principals in the cast should be chosen with the greatest care. No singer can truthfully say that he or she is too good to sing at the Municipal Theater in St. Louis. The people of St. Louis must realize that and guard against cheapening the performances."
"The Metropolitan Opera and the ranks of first-class oratorio and concert singers might well stand drawn up in making up casts for the summer performances here."
The rule should be to take only singers who have risen above the repertoire level and have completed their training in one or preferably all of the higher fields of concert, oratorio and grand opera.
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Municipal Opera Should Be on High Level of the Symphony, Says Gallagher

Basso, in Bidding Farewell to St. Louis Before Returning to Concert Work, Tells of Artistic Standards He Would Have Maintained.

Charles E. Gallagher, for the last three years bass of the Municipal Opera Company, yesterday made it known that he would not be a member of the cast next year, and before bidding farewell to St. Louis, he expressed his opinions as to things which need to be done to make the giving of summer opera in the Municipal Theater an enduring artistic success.
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BRITAIN GIVES UP PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE PLAN

Decision Reached, After Ex- changes With Washington, to Accept Invitation With- out Reservations.

DATE RESTS WITH FOREIGN CAPITALS

Representatives at Wash- ington Have Conferred With Hughes and Have Referred Question to Superiors.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Aug. 2.—Great Britain has dropped the proposal to hold a preliminary conference on Pacific questions and has agreed to participate in the Washington conference, as originally suggested by President Harding, according to official circles here today.
This decision was reached after an exchange of conversation between London and Washington.
Great Britain has also agreed to the original date suggested, Nov. 11, the anniversary of Armistice day, if President Harding still considers that the most suitable time, and will enter the conference without any reservations as to the set program, it was stated.
Doubt is expressed whether Premier Hughes of Australia and Premier Massey of New Zealand will be able to attend, but they will, it is said, be represented by a British deputation.
The attendance of Lloyd George, the Prime Minister, also depends upon circumstances, it was stated.
Fixing of Date Depends on Replies From Foreign Capitals.
By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Determination of the date for the disarmament conference is understood to be a day to rest largely in the Foreign Offices at London, Paris and Tokyo. The diplomatic representatives of the invited Powers have conferred with Secretary of State Hughes concerning the advisability of beginning the conference Nov. 11, or upon some other date and have in turn referred the question to their respective Governments. Until further instructions are received it is expected that no action will be taken.
Representatives of foreign Governments have made it plain, however, that they regard determination of the agenda as far more important than the fixing of the date of meeting. They are understood to have reported in detail to their Governments the desire of Secretary of State Hughes to leave the main body of the conference to be more clearly outlined before the formal sessions are begun.
While Japan has made it clear that there are subjects which she would discuss with unwillingness, if at all, there appears to be a growing conviction that unless some limitation is placed upon the number of subjects to be considered, the conference may be continued almost indefinitely. The chief object of Japan, it is understood, will be to drive to the front her right to expansion and in that connection her claims in Siberia, Manchuria and perhaps other regions.

TAX BILL REVISION BEGUN; \$10 LEVY ON AUTOS, 3-CENT POSTAGE URGED BY MELLON

Two-Cent Tax on Bank Checks Also Under- stood to Have Been Proposed by Secre- tary to House Committee.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Drafting of the tax revision bill was taken up today by Republicans of the House Ways and Means Committee, following the presentation yesterday to the full committee of the views of Secretary Mellon and other Treasury experts. Chairman Fordney believes it will take three weeks to get the measure ready for the House.
Suggestions given to the committee by Secretary Mellon include the levying of several new taxes, reduction in some rates now in force and shifting of others. New taxes proposed include two cents on all bank checks, 10 on all automobiles and increase of first-class postage to three cents.
Repeal of the excess profits and soda fountain taxes also is said to have been suggested, together with a reduction in the higher group of income surtaxes, fixing the maximum at 40 per cent. A 50 per cent cut in all transportation taxes is understood to have been another suggestion advanced.
Additional Tax on Tobacco.
Others included a five per cent increase in the normal tax on income of corporations, making the maximum 15 per cent; elimination of the \$2000 exemption on corporation incomes, and an additional levy on tobacco, cigars and cigarettes to yield \$25,000,000 a year.
The revenue bill as revised in accord with these suggestions would be designed to raise approximately \$4,000,000,000 next year, it is said. Mellon's memorandum embodying his views, was withheld, but Chairman Fordney promised to make it public today.
Attack by Democrat.
Representative Garner of Texas, the ranking Democratic member of the committee, attacked the Treasury Secretary's proposals, declaring that every one of them constituted a "shifting of the tax burden from the classes to the masses."
Mellon is said to have estimated Government expenditures for next year at \$4,675,000,000, but Chairman Fordney said this was dependent on how much of the \$500,000,000 due the railroads would have to be advanced out of the Federal treasury, the cost of operating the Government merchant fleet and the share of expenditures for the army and the navy.
Aside from internal taxes, the Treasury Secretary is understood to have estimated customs receipts for next year at \$450,000,000 and miscellaneous receipts, including mortgage, at \$250,000,000. He is said to have figured that the \$10 license tax on automobiles would bring \$100,000,000. The increased postal rates have been estimated to yield another \$75,000,000, but the estimate as to the income from the proposed tax on bank checks was not disclosed.
The loss of revenue through reduction of the transportation taxes have been placed at approximately \$150,000,000.

STATEMENT ON ALIEN REGISTRATION ISSUED

Labor Department Asserts Plan Is for Protection and Is Not Police System.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Registration of aliens, provided for in Legislation urged by Secretary Davis, is for the purpose of protecting and guiding the aliens themselves and is not designed as a police system, said a statement issued yesterday by the Department of Labor. Expenditure of the money taken in as fees for registration for instructors for such foreigners as need schooling is planned.
"The alien," the statement said, "does not want anything for nothing," and would be willing to pay the \$10.00 fee in case of adults and \$2.00 for wage earners who are minors.
Under the proposed law, the bureau of naturalization would become the bureau of citizenship, and "take on a vastly broadened scope of activity." It would see that aliens were properly distributed over the country, avoiding congestion in the cities.
"Among its other duties, the new bureau of citizenship would spread knowledge of our American institutions," the statement said. "It would begin a national campaign for bettering the physical and moral well-being of our foreign-born population. To this end, the bureau would undertake to protect the foreigner from fraud and imposition. It will provide centers of information, where persons of patriotism and character would offer guidance and advice. Where possible, these advisers would be themselves of foreign extraction, in order to offer real sympathy and understanding."
"In addition to the regular school classes, meetings would be arranged to bring newly arrived aliens into the care of local school representatives and so quicken their acquaintance with American customs, life, institutions and forms of government. The public school systems themselves would be urged to cooperate and organize special classes for adults."
"The act before Congress gives the new bureau authority to appoint officers who shall have semi-judicial power in preliminary naturalization hearings. This will cut much red tape and save time on the part of justice. Under the new plan the alien will not have to lose time from work to await his turn in court, but may apply at any time to a Federal naturalization officer for the purpose."

OKLAHOMA REPORTS 400 PELLAGRA CASES

State Health Commissioner Be- lieves There Are More Cases in State.

By the Associated Press.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Aug. 2.—More than 400 cases of pellagra in Oklahoma were reported yesterday to Dr. A. R. Lewis, State Health Commissioner. Last night he said he would not minimize the danger in Oklahoma from the disease and said he was sure there were from 500 to 600 cases in the State. He planned to attend a Washington conference on pellagra conditions in the South but said a typhoid epidemic in Hughes County probably would cause J. P. Polan, Assistant State Health Commissioner, to be sent.
The disease is becoming prevalent among the Indians, according to the Health Commissioner, especially among the women, who stay at home much of the time and live principally on corn bread and salt pork. The men spend much time in towns, where they eat various foods and thus escape pellagra, according to the commissioner.
Many of the sick people have not been treated by physicians, Dr. Lewis said, because pellagra appears much as sunburn and victims are cases are diagnosed.
It is of prime importance that the appearance of sunburned spots should be protected immediately from the sun, the Commissioner said, as only in this manner can they be kept from becoming sores that lead to the secondary stage. It also is of the greatest importance that the diet be changed to nutritious food and that the patient be well nourished.
The three stages of the disease were described as follows:
"Primary—Appearance of sunburn on hands and face and exposed parts of body, followed by sores that become worse gradually. Interior of mouth, gums and tongue become tender."
"Secondary—Stomach disturbed; food repulsive."
"Final—Mental trouble; melancholy, insanity or death."

CEREMONY FOR R. W. CHILD

American Ambassador Presents Cre- dentials to Italian King.

By the Associated Press.
ROME, Aug. 2.—The presentation of credentials to the King by Richard Washburn Child, newly appointed American Ambassador to Italy, yesterday furnished the occasion for a colorful ceremony, notwithstanding a temperature of 96 degrees in the shade.
When the cortege arrived at the Quirinal Palace the troops stationed there presented arms. Child was welcomed in the King's name and introduced into the King's presence, as also was the American Embassy personnel. This was followed by a 15 minutes' cordial audience with the King.

58 IMMIGRANTS LOSE BY A HAIR IN RACE FOR U. S.

Beaten Two Minutes by An- other Ship, They Must Be Deported Because Quota Had Been Filled.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Fifty-eight immigrants who had staked practically all their possessions on the hazard of new fortunes involved in the trip to America, lost in an eyelash finish yesterday morning and face deportation from Ellis Island at the earliest moment their cases can be disposed of.
This was the tragic sequel of a race up Ambrose channel and into the narrow off quarantine between the Greek liner steamship Megali Hellas and the Anchor liner Calabria.
It required only the first 67 minutes of August to exhaust that month's quotas of immigrants to be accepted from Greece and Persia, and because 58 of those nationalities were aboard the Calabria, which was beaten to quarantine by the narrow margin of two minutes, they had to go back to Europe and wait another year before attempting to get to America.
Other outstanding facts in the immigration situation as a result of the arrival in port on six liners of 2667 steerage passengers, were that within the first few hours of the month the August quotas for four divisions of immigrants had been exceeded, and the unofficial admission by Ellis Island authorities that of the approximately 700 immigrants already awaiting deportation about 320

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Additional Sporting News

GIBBONS TO MEET
RATNER TONIGHT

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Phantom, the champion of St. Paul, whose record is 10-0, will meet Augie Ratner, the New York middleweight, in a 10-round, no-decision bout tonight.

Ratner, who will seek an early end to his career, has been in the ring since his recent fight with Bryan Downey in Cleveland. He is a 160-pounder and has a record of 10-0.

Downey, who is a 160-pounder, has a record of 10-0. He is a former champion and has been in the ring since his recent fight with Ratner in Cleveland.

ST. PAUL DEFEATED
IN PRINTERS' TOURNEY

DETROIT, Aug. 2.—The St. Paul Club, champions of the National Printers' Baseball League, was eliminated from this year's title race yesterday by Boston, 19 to 7. The winners pounded three St. Paul twirlers for a total of 22 hits. Indianapolis put New York out of the running by a 13-to-9 victory. Scores:

St. Paul..... 7 10 5
Boston..... 19 22 6
Indianapolis..... 13 14 6
New York..... 9 11 5
Torrance and Kelly; Lange, Dooley and Stortz.

MRS. BUNDY WINS NET
MATCH IN EASY STYLE

GLEN COVE, N. Y., Aug. 2.—Mrs. May Sutton Bundy and Miss Helen Willis, California tennis players, won their matches in the first round of the women's metropolitan championship tournament here yesterday.

Miss Mary K. Browne of Los Angeles, former national champion, and winner of the New York State title, last week, defaulted on the advice of her physician.

Mrs. Bundy defeated Miss Katherine Gardner of Cambridge, Mass., 6-1, 6-1, and Miss Willis outplayed Mrs. S. J. Strauss of New York, 6-2, 6-0.

Mrs. Marion Zinderstein Jessup of Wilmington, Del., title holder, won by default.

Rickard Planning
Three Ring Bouts
For World Titles

Heavy, Light-Heavy and Middleweight Champions Expected to Appear Soon.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Tex Rickard yesterday revealed here plans for three fights to be held here within a few months, in which three world's championships will be at stake. These events will be:

Bryan Downey, Columbus, O., vs. Johnny Wilson, Boston, for the middleweight championship.

Georges Carpentier, France, vs. Tom Gibbons, St. Paul, light heavyweight championship.

Jack Dempsey, San Francisco, vs. Jess Willard, world's heavyweight championship.

One of these bouts has been closed—Carpentier vs. Gibbons. One other will evidently be closed very shortly, to settle the dispute over the middleweight title which followed the Downey-Wilson bout at Cleveland last week.

Willard can have the third match provided he can assure Rickard of his ability to get into condition in time.

Sends Wire to Willard.

Rickard yesterday sent a telegram to Willard asking him how long it would take him to get into condition to meet Dempsey and also to name a price for his services.

The giant heavyweight has expressed a desire to regain the championship and it is understood that he has been making efforts to get into fighting form.

Whether Dempsey's trip eastward has any connection with the proposed contest could not be ascertained.

Rickard also announced that the bout between Carpentier and Gibbons probably would be held in Madison Square Garden, late in October or early in November.

CLOSE MATCHES PLAYED
IN CADDIE TOURNAMENT

Several close matches were played in the first round of the Westwood Country Club caddie golf championship tournament, which was completed yesterday. The second round must be finished by next Monday.

FIRST FLIGHT.
D. Wilson defeated E. Faust, 5 up in 18.
Otto Kelsker defeated K. Henley, 7 up in 18.
R. Abline defeated A. Quirk, 9 up in 18.
Frank Foster defeated Art Patterson, 2 up in 18.
L. Rottier defeated J. Burns, 6 up in 18.
K. Kirschoff defeated S. Robertson, 1 up in 18.
E. French defeated R. Garvin, 7 up in 18.
William Meels defeated Jim Gordon, 2 and 1.

SECOND FLIGHT.
John Haver defeated C. Nelson, 7 and 6.
R. Brockman defeated James Bentley, 8 up in 6.
Ray Faust defeated J. Jordan, 7 up in 6.
H. Brockman defeated L. Vaden, 7 up in 6.
William Elms defeated F. Kinsler, 7 up in 6.
Fred Teiler defeated P. White, 6 and 4.
A. Frank defeated E. Eckhardt, 3 and 2.
E. White defeated J. Meir, 3 and 2.

ENTRY BLANKS ISSUED
FOR SWIMMING EVENTS

Entry blanks have been sent out for the eighth annual swimming meet of the Municipal Athletic Association to be held at the Marquette pool, Aug. 18, starting at 7:45 o'clock. The lists close at noon, Aug. 11. No post-entrants will be permitted. To be eligible for the championship events paddlers must be members of the M. A. A. or W. A. U.

The classes and events:

Class AA, age limit 11 years, weight 90 pounds—25-yard swim.

Class A, age not over 15, weight 110 pounds—25-yard dash; 20-yard breast stroke and 100-yard relay.

Class B, age and weight unlimited (closed to those entered in championship events). 50-yard dash; 50-yard breast stroke; 100-yard dash, diving and 400-yard relay.

M. A. A. Championships—100-yard dash, 100-yard back stroke, 880-yard swim and diving.

EVENTS FOR WOMEN.
Class A, age not over 16 years—50-yard swim.
Class B, 100-yard swim and diving.

YANKS CLAIM PITCHER
SIGNED BY CINCINNATI

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Protest to Commissioner Landis against the use of Pitcher Cliff Markle by the Cincinnati Nationals against New York has been made by Col. Jacob Ruppert, president of the New York Americans. The Yankees recently filed a claim to the player when the Reds announced his purchase from the Atlanta (Southern Association) club.

Markle was purchased by the New York Americans from Waco (Texas League), in 1915, and farmed out to Toledo, American Association, in 1916. After he played independent ball for two years, he was sent by the Yankees to Atlanta. President Ruppert claims that his club never gave up title to his services.

Yankees Sign Indian.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The New York Americans have announced the signing of Earl Jamieson, a full-blooded Indian pitcher, on a semi-professional team. Jamieson is 20 years old and left-handed. His father, who was a Carle graduate, pitched for the Philadelphia Nationals in 1898 and 1899.

Quinn Undergoes Operation.

J. A. Robert Quinn, business manager of the Browns, was this morning operated upon for appendicitis at St. John's Hospital. Reports from the hospital indicated that Quinn was getting along as well as could be expected. Dr. Hyland performed the operation. The Browns' business manager has been ill for some time.

MAJOR CITY BOWLING
LEAGUE IS ORGANIZED

Harry Rood was re-elected president of the Major City Bowling League at a meeting held last night at the Congress alleys. The league will consist of eight teams and will bowl on Wednesday nights at the Congress alleys at 9 o'clock. The league will bowl five series or 35 weeks and will open Sept. 7.

The teams and captains are as follows: Witters, Razz, J. C. Ameling; Congress, Gus Schuttensberg; Wooster, Lamberts, Rudl Meyer; Adamars, Robert Meinhardt; Wellstone, Carl Graft; Heiberts, Jack Helbert; Petersons, T. P. Forney; Cabannes, E. B. Wilder.

Mrs. Aid Golf Winner.

In the monthly golf tournament for the wives and daughters of members of the Triple A Golf Club, Mrs. C. P. Aid won the prize for low score, with Mrs. M. R. Parrott second. Mrs. Hauldren won the blind bogey. Mrs. D. Dunn won the blind holes competition and Mrs. Parrott won the prize for the player taking least handicap.

Legion Post Team Wins.

St. Louis Post No. 4 of the American Legion defeated the Washington (Mo.) baseball team, 7 to 6, Sunday. The Washington team previously had won 12 straight games. The post team would like to arrange games at Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluffs, Jefferson City, Hannibal and other Missouri and Illinois towns. Address: V. R. Richardson, 390 Arcade Building.

Cardinals' 1000th Hit.

Rogers Hornsby's single in the first inning yesterday, which sent Fred Schupp to the showers, was the 1000th hit made by the Cardinals this season.

EAST ST. LOUIS Y. M. C. A.
STARTS NET TOURNAMENTS

The East St. Louis Y. M. C. A. has started four tennis tournaments for its senior and junior members. The feature event is the men's doubles, which has an entry of 18 teams. There is a tournament for boys in singles, and 18 players are entered. Boys who are defeated in the first round will play in a consolation event.

Thirty-six players are taking part in the men's singles tournament, which is divided into two classes. All matches are being played on the two newly constructed courts adjoining the Central Branch building.

Karr and Perry Draw.

By the Associated Press.
COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 2.—Johnny Karr, Cleveland welterweight, and Jack Perry of Boston boxed 12 rounds to a draw here last night.

Several feature matches in the men's doubles are scheduled for this week. E. E. Smith and E. J. Rodenberg will play Al Wilkins and J. Beckwith in one match, while Hunt and Davis will oppose Rigdon and Halpin in another. The tournaments are being played under the supervision of J. F. Whitmore, physical director of the East St. Louis Y. M. C. A.

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"BABE" RUTH ENGAGES
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During batting practice in the Cleveland series, Babe has been picking old balls from the umpire's pocket, piling them in front of the visiting team's dugout and lambasting them into the upper tier of the right-field stands and the right-field bleachers.

The scrambling of youthful bodies that ensues affords the Khedive of Egypt the greatest amusement.

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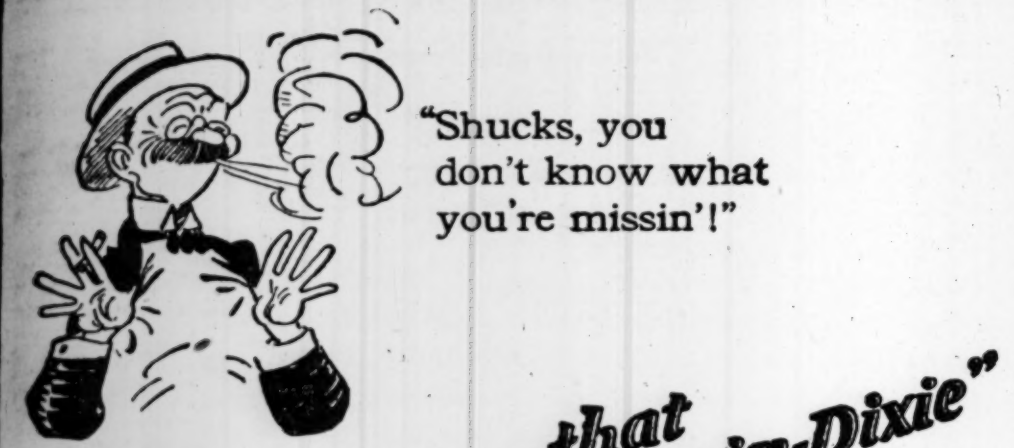
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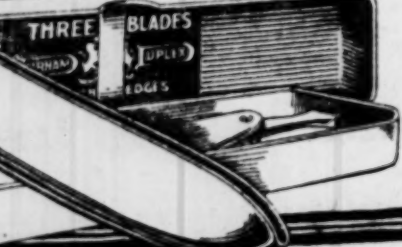
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Sales	Stocks	Highest	Lowest	Closing
100	Am. Tobacco	100	99	100
100	Am. Sugar	100	99	100
100	Am. Cotton	100	99	100
100	Am. Oil	100	99	100
100	Am. Lumber	100	99	100
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FINANCIAL

\$25,000,000
ift and Company

Ten-Year Club

Total Authorized Issue \$25,000,000 **Due August 15, 1938**

During the year 1922, such premium decreasing 1/10 of 1%

of the Trust Indenture.

Chicago Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, Trustee

to this issue of Notes received from the Company, we summarize the direct obligation of Swift and Company, as follows:

world engaged in the production and sale of meats

the rate of 8% per annum on the Company amounts to \$150,000 without interruption for the past thirty-five years. The Company's earnings ending October 30, 1920, net earnings of Swift and Company of which amount \$72,099,380—or over 48%—has been retained in the Company for the purpose of providing for the future of the Company available for interest and after providing for Federal income tax ending October 30, 1920.

standing obligations during these years. The

Company's products have increased from \$250,000,000 in 1909 to over \$1,000,000,000 in 1934. During these five years were approximately 100,000,000 units of product. The Company requires the maintenance of current assets to an aggregate amount of one-half times current liabilities, plus the outstanding amount of outstanding Notes of this issue, and provides that no less than 25 percent of the assets and income of the Company shall be maintained in cash or cash equivalents.

company as of Oct 1

of tangible assets of \$336,877,841, applicable to the total funded debt of \$304,581,000.

A substantial reduction has been made in liabilities. The issue will be used in retiring \$25,000,000 6% Gold Notes, due January 1, 1922, and the total funded debt, therefore, is not increased by this financing.

INTEREST, YIELDING ABOUT

It is expected that Interim Receipts of Illinois Trust & Savings Bank will be ready for delivery on or about August 15, 1921.

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\$25,000,000

Swift and Company

7% Ten-Year Gold Notes

Total Authorized Issue \$25,000,000

Dated August 15, 1921

Due August 15, 1931

Interest payable February 15 and August 15, at Illinois Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, or at the American Exchange National Bank, New York. Coupon Notes in interchangeable denominations of \$1000, \$500 and of the Company on thirty days' previous notice, on any interest payment date before maturity, on payment of a premium of 2½% if redeemed during the year 1922, such premium decreasing ½ of 1% each succeeding year thereafter. Interest payable, so far as may be lawful, without deduction for Federal Income Taxes not in excess of 2%, as provided in the Trust Indenture.

Illinois Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, Trustee

From information in regard to this issue of Notes received from the Company, we summarize as follows:

These Notes will be the direct obligation of Swift and Company, one of the largest and most successful concerns in the world engaged in the production and sale of meats and their by-products. The authorized issued Capital Stock of the Company amounts to \$150,000,000 upon which dividends at the rate of 8% per annum are now being paid. The Company has paid cash dividends without interruption for the past thirty-five years.

During the eleven years ending October 30, 1920, net earnings of Swift and Company amounted to \$149,537,840, of which amount \$72,099,380—or over 48%—has been retained in the business.

Annual net earnings available for interest and after providing for Federal and Foreign taxes, for the five years ending October 30, 1920, averaged \$28,157,534 per year. The average annual interest charges on all outstanding obligations during these five years were approximately \$9,094,996.

Total sales of the Company's products have increased from \$250,000,000 in 1909 to over \$1,100,000,000 in 1920.

The Trust Indenture requires the maintenance of current assets to an aggregate amount equal to at least one and one-half times current liabilities, plus the outstanding amount of 7% Notes due 1925 and outstanding Notes of this issue, and provides that no new mortgage may be created against present assets and property.

The financial statement of the Company as of October 30, 1920, and after giving effect to this financing, shows net tangible assets of \$336,877,841, applicable to the total funded debt, including this issue, of \$94,591,000.

Since October 30, 1920, a substantial reduction has been made in liabilities.

The proceeds of this Note issue will be used in retiring \$25,000,000 6% Gold Notes, due August 15, 1921. The Company's funded debt, therefore, is not increased by this financing.

PRICE 97½ AND INTEREST, YIELDING ABOUT 7¾%

Pending delivery of Definitive Notes, it is expected that Interim Receipts of Illinois Trust & Savings Bank, Trustee, will be ready for delivery on or about August 15, 1921.

Illinois Trust & Savings Bank
Chicago

The Merchants Loan and Trust Company
Chicago

Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings Bank
Chicago

First Trust & Savings Bank
Chicago

Harris Trust and Savings Bank
Chicago

We do not guarantee the above statements and figures, but they are taken from sources which we believe to be reliable.

5000 NEGRO SHRINERS OPEN CONVENTION

Every State Represented in Gathering and Patrols Will Hold Downtown Parade Tomorrow.

The twenty-second annual session of the Imperial Council, Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, an organization of negro Masons, began a three days' meeting at 10 o'clock this morning in the Gayety Theater. The negro Shriners were officially welcomed to St. Louis by Mayor Kiel, and Charles A. Cottrill of Mecca Temple, Toledo, O., responded on behalf of the 5000 or more members of the order who have come to attend the council.

Every state is represented at the meeting, the largest delegations coming from Indianapolis, Columbus, O., Louisville, Ky., New York, Springfield, Ill., Washington, Wilmington, Del., Cincinnati, Mobile, Fort Worth, the two Kansas Cities and St. Joseph. These and other cities will be represented in a parade of the patrols in the downtown district, starting at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. All the large delegations were accompanied by bands that kept Union Station in a tumult of jazz music during the arrivals yesterday afternoon.

William H. Butler, 3510 Cozans avenue, of Medina Temple, St. Louis, chairman of the Executive Committee on Arrangements, said the visiting negro Nobles, in their multicolored and fantastic uniforms, would present in the parade a gorgeous spectacle. The parade will be reviewed by the Imperial Divan in front of Pythian Temple, 2137 Pine street. Wednesday night there will be a competitive drill of the patrols in the Coliseum for a prize of \$1000. Simultaneous with the meeting of the Shriners, the Daughters of Isis, the women's auxiliary, will hold daily sessions at Crescent Hall, 2030 Olive street.

The visitors were entertained last night on a boat excursion, after which they marched to the Coliseum for a "midnight ramble" that started shortly after 12 o'clock and continued until daybreak. It consisted of minstrelsy, vaudeville and dancing.

SUIT FOR A RECEIVER FOR TURMAN OIL CO. IS FILED

Thomas L. Anderson, representing a group of St. Louis stockholders, acts in case.

Suit for a receiver for the Turman Oil Co. of Okmulgee, Ok., was filed yesterday in the Federal Court at Muskogee, Ok., by Thomas L. Anderson, a St. Louis attorney, representing a group of stockholders who are dissatisfied over the issuance of \$1,000,000 new stock, the revenue from which was to have been used to purchase new fields. This was not done, it is alleged, and dividends for the last year were not paid, although the company had more than 30 wells in operation.

The suit also asked for an injunction to prevent the present officers from further direction of the affairs of the company, and a temporary restraining order in accordance with this prayer was issued by Judge Robert L. Williams.

A meeting of stockholders was held in St. Louis on June 14, at which former Senator N. P. Wilfley, a director of the company, stated that a receivership was unnecessary, and a majority of the meeting voted with him in favor of an audit of the books instead of a receivership. Anderson then took issue with Wilfley and announced his intentions of applying for a receiver. Approximately \$300,000 of St. Louis capital is invested in the enterprise, it is stated.

E. J. Hunter, Robert Miller and Lawrence Miller, all of Okmulgee, are the officers to whom the plaintiffs object.

Agricultural Expert to Speak.
Sam Jordan, Missouri corn man and agricultural expert of Jefferson City, Mo., will be a speaker at the annual picnic of the St. Charles County Farm Bureau in Parson's Grove near Defiance, Mo., Saturday. The tractor demonstration will be held during the afternoon. R. E. Finkerson, T. E. Pittman, Defiance, and Frank J. Dames of V'Fallon, make up the Arrangement committee.

ADVERTISMENT FINALLY FREE FROM PILES

after Suffering Untold Agony, I
Lave at Last Found Relief in Miro
Internal Treatment.

"For over 20 years," writes W. A. Vilmer of Erie, Pa., "I suffered and spent hundreds of dollars for doctors and patent medicines with no relief."

"A little over a year ago I read a notice in the paper about the wonderful Miro Internal Treatment and bought it. It was another grand fake at first, but I finally concluded I might as well try it. Used it as directed and after taking only one bottle was astounded to find that the piles had entirely disappeared."

"I have been entirely free from piles for over one year now and don't now whether they will come back or not, but I'll be mighty quick to buy any should they reappear."

Through your druggist, we sell Miro Internal Treatment and guarantee it give complete satisfaction or your money will be refunded. Your druggist also carries Miro Anticongestive pills and Miro Pile Ointment for ching piles.

Our August Fur Sale

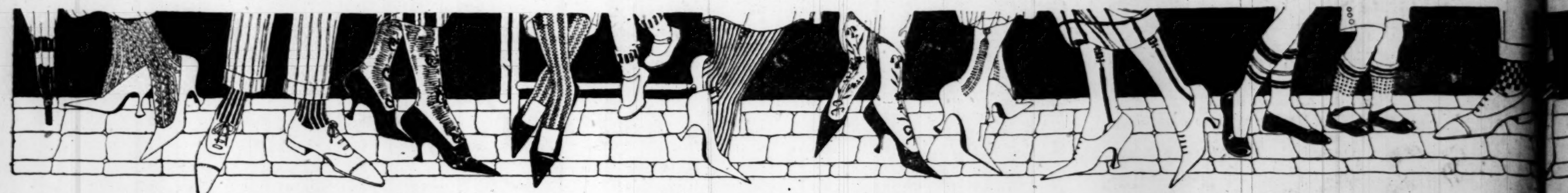
—is proving an event of importance to all who participate. And small wonder, since it presents luxurious Fur Coats, Wraps, Coatees, Sets and individual pieces, modeled in the most authentic styles for 1921-22—all at savings that range from 20 to 33 1/2%.

Fourth Floor

Famous Barr Co

Summer Store Hours: 8:30 A. M. to 5 P. M.—Friday to 5:30 P. M. Closed all Day Saturday

We Give Gifts and Red



Beginning Tomorrow—an Event of City-Wide Interest—Offering the Season's Most Extreme Values in Which Every Member of the Family Can Share

The August Sale of Hosiery

Thousands of Pairs of Dependable Quality Hosiery for Men, Women and Children

Ⓢ This event is perhaps more far reaching in its value-giving than any other one scheduled for the August campaign, since Hosiery is something that everyone needs. And the opportunity to buy it at a saving should most certainly be welcomed by every alert shopper.

Ⓢ From the thousands and thousands of pairs offered at extremely low prices—including specially purchased groups, factory close-out lots and our regular stock—surely every Hosiery need can be supplied tomorrow to advantage. Attendance when the sale starts at 8:30 tomorrow morning is urged. No mail or phone orders accepted.

Women's Hose

\$1.39 Quality

\$1.10

Well-known "Vassar Girl" Silk Hosiery. Semi-fashioned, with mercerized garter tops; black, white and colors.

Women's Hose

\$3 and \$3.25 Grades

\$2.39

Full-fashioned Silk Hose, in black, white and colors. Have silk garter tops and reinforced heels, soles and toes.

Women's Hose

\$4.45 Quality

\$3.25

Lace Silk Hose in several desirable patterns to choose from. Black, brown and white, well reinforced with silk tops and soles. Broken sizes.

Women's Hose

\$3.75 Quality

\$2.59

Glove silk lace patterned Hose, in black and colors with double garter tops—the kind of Hose that does not dropstitch.

Women's Hose

\$2.25 and \$2.50 Grades

\$1.89

Fancy Silk Hose, in self or contrasting embroidered designs. Black, white and colors in the assortment.

Women's Hose

\$1.65 and \$2 Grades

\$1.00

Plain and fancy Silk Hose, in black and brown. Have double garter tops, heels, soles and toes.

Men's Hose

75c and \$1 Grades

59c

3600 pairs of sample Half Hose with reinforced toes, heels and soles; full-fashioned and seamless styles of thread silk and lisle; sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2.

Men's Hose

\$1 Quality

77c

Good quality, full-fashioned silk Half Hose, with reinforced toes, heels and soles. Shown in gray, navy, cordovan, black and white. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2.

Men's Hose

\$2 Quality

\$1.55

Just 600 pairs of heavy quality silk Half Hose in full-fashioned style. Shown in black, navy and cordovan. Sizes 9 to 12.

Womens' Hose

\$2.50 Quality

\$1.79

Pure thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, in black and colors, with mercerized tops. Silk tops in black only. All sizes.

Women's Hose

\$2.25 Quality

\$1.65

Black out-size pure thread silk Hose, with mercerized elastic double garter tops, reinforced heels, soles and toes. All sizes.

Women's Hose

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Grades

79c

Thread silk Hose in semi-fashioned style. Black, white and colors; with double garter tops. All finely woven of spendid quality.

Men's Hose

35c and 50c Grades

25c

2400 pairs of Onyx Half Hose in seamless style; gray, white, navy, black and cordovan, with reinforced toes, heels and soles. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2.

Men's Hose

25c Quality—Two Pairs for

25c

1200 pairs of seamless cotton Hose in gray, cordovan, black and white; have reinforced toes, heels and soles. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2.

Men's Hose

50c Quality

35c

Mercerized lisle Half Hose with reinforced toes, heels and soles; medium and light weight, in navy, cordovan, gray, black and white. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. Three pairs, \$1.00.

Womense

75c and 50c

50c

Fiber in black, white and colors. Have cotton in semi-fashioned style.

Womense

75c and 50c

50c

Full fashioned Hose in black, white, with double garter tops and well reinforced heels and soles.

Children

50c and 39c

39c

White and black. White with over cuff tops, lengths, in many styles. Three pairs.

Our Entire Stock of Hosiery at a Discount of

Advertised Items, Phoenix and Everwear Hosiery Excepted

Women's and Children's Hosiery in our regular stock, offered during this sale at a 20% discount, with the exceptions as mentioned above.

Men's Hosiery of all kinds offered during this sale at 20% discount—the only exceptions being as mentioned above.

20%



Women's Fiber Silk Sweaters

—\$12.50 to \$16.50 Values Offered in the August Sale Tomorrow at

Ⓢ This bit of store news will undoubtedly be read with more than usual interest by the women and misses of St. Louis whose wardrobes lack one of the smartest and most practical of lightweight wraps—a Fiber Silk Sweater. The values are remarkable, as you will readily agree when you see the garments.

300 in the lot—fancy crossbar, dropstitch and plain weaves—in the fashionable Tuxedo model with patch pockets and sash. Colors: Jade, green, tan, brown, navy, black, orchid, gray, turquoise, Pekin, coral, rose.

Fourth Floor

Offered in the August Sales Cotton Undergarments

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Values,

at **79c**

Ⓢ Included are Gowns in tailored and embroidery-trimmed styles—Envelope Chemises in built-up and strap effects, attractively trimmed or in plain style—Bloomers of batiste with elastic knee and step-in Drawers with lace edgings.

\$1.50 Silk Camisoles

Of satin or crepe de chine, with embroidered Georgette bands and lace combinations. In tailored styles, with ribbon straps. Special at **\$1**



Third Floor

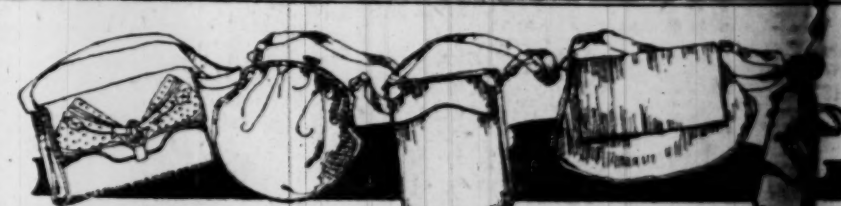
Prominent in Our August Sale of Dinnerware Are 100-Piece Dinner Sets

\$35 to \$48 Grades at the Special Price of

Ⓢ Highly effective Dinner Sets of American semi-porcelain, gracefully modeled and delicately ornamented, affording choice of eighteen different designs. Each set includes bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat. **\$25**

Other Sets offered are—
\$125 White and Gold 100-piece Sets \$49.00
\$125 Nippon China 100-piece Sets \$29.15
\$50 Nippon China 100-piece Sets \$24.50
\$60 Theo. Haviland 100-piece Sets \$39.95
\$49 American semi-porcelain 100-piece Sets \$35.00

\$27 to \$30 American semi-porcelain Sets \$15.50
\$15 to \$18 American semi-porcelain 50-piece Sets \$8.50
\$12 American semi-porcelain 42-piece Sets \$5.50
Fifth Floor



The August Sales Include a Splendid Offer of 500 Leather Handbags

Offering \$5 to \$10 Values at **\$2.50**

Ⓢ Obtained from a leading manufacturer, especially for this sale, every Bag represents a remarkable value. All are well made, nicely lined with silk or unfinished suede, and fitted with coin purse and mirror.

Pin Seal, Yachette, Cowhide or Tooled Leather Bags—in swapper, kodak and other desirable effects.



The Sporting Goods Shop Announces for Tomorrow A Sale of Bicycles

\$42.50 Values at

\$28.75

Men's and Women's Models

Ⓢ Through this special purchase and sale many a one will be made the owner of an attractive, high-grade Bicycle at a surprisingly low price. The frame is made of seamless steel tubing, beautifully enameled (choice of several colors) with complete fender head and striping on the mudguards. All equipped with coaster brake, spring rider pedals, adjustable handlebars and guaranteed tires. Bicycles of this makes that you would not ordinarily expect to buy at the prices at which we are offering them.

Women's Bicycles—20-inch frames—\$47.50 value—

of Merchandise Missouri or the West

Co August Sales

We Give and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise. Few Restricted Articles Excepted

August Sale of "Sample" Suits

And Specially Purchased Groups Presents Correctly Styled Fall and Winter Models for Women and Misses at Rare Savings.

Offering Extraordinary Values in Two Unusual Groups, at

\$35 and \$55

Those who have already participated in this event will vouch for its supreme value-giving. Not only do the savings impress, but the opportunity of so early securing advance models fashioned in the ways most correct for Fall and Winter is deeply appreciated. The exceptional quality and style authenticity of every Suit are other reasons for selecting from this offering. Sizes 14 to 52½.

Materials, styles, colors and trimmings embrace all that is new and approved for the coming season—ranging from models of tailored simplicity to most elaborately braided, embroidered and fur-trimmed effects.

Fourth Floor



Pre-Eminent in the August Sales Is Our Offer of Men's

Suits

3000 in the Collection That Was Placed on Sale This Morning—\$40, \$45, \$50 and \$55 Values

\$32

Approved Styles for Men and Young Men.

Men who select clothes with the keenness of foresight will instantly see in this sale the logical time to buy clothing for Fall or immediate wear. Single and double breasted models in conservative and smartly styled effects are offered. The fact that every Suit was made by a leading maker assures satisfaction in the essentials of high-grade fabrics, expert tailoring and correct styling.

Materials include dark colored woads, silk mixed and pin checked fabrics, plain blue serges, tartan checks, plaids and pencil stripes.

Second Floor—Use New 6th or 7th St. Elevators

Boys' 2-Pants Suits

\$14.50 to \$17
Values at... **\$11**

Wool cassimeres and chevrons, in single-breasted models; coats alpaca lined and with all-around belts. Knickers excellently tailored. Sizes 8 to 18 years.

\$3 and \$3.50 School Knickers

Of wool cassimeres and chevrons, in a variety of desired shades. Sizes 6 to 15. **\$1.97**

Combination Ranges

At a Discount of... **15%**

Exceptional opportunities for economies in discontinued floor samples of Combination Ranges with high warming closets. Blue, gray and black enamel. Connection free.

Coal Ranges: enamel finish: less... 15%
\$2.05 Aluminum Teakettles: 5-qt. \$1.45
\$1.25 Roasters, round style... 88c
\$1.25 Aluminum Double Boilers: 2-qt. 88c
\$1.75 Aluminum Preserving Kettles: 6-qt. 88c
\$21.45 Water Power Washing Machines: warranted \$17.25
Kitchen Cabinets: discontinued floor samples: less... 15%
Entire line of Screen Doors: discount of 15%
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\$12.95 Quality—\$9.40
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Pure linen Tablecloths, full bleached, with satin damask pattern. Of exceptional quality and two yards square.

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Mercerized, bleached damask Cloths, 54x54 inch size, neatly hemmed and splendid for everyday use.

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Allover Fillet and Scotch net Curtains, in reproductions of Brussels, Battenberg and Cluny designs; with overlocked scalloped edges. White, ivory or natural tints.

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A product of our own Candy Shop—cocoon centers, covered with rich cream fondant and specially priced Wednesday at, **37c** pound Main Floor

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An August Feature—\$1.25 to \$1.50 Values

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Ginghams
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Dots
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Stripes
Solid Colors

Both regular and extra sizes.

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In Two Underpriced Groups:

\$3.98 to \$5.98 Values

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Choice of 12 different models of Amoskeag, Kalburnie and Glen Roy ginghams, in plaids, combinations and solid colors; also included are fancy lawn and tissues. Some have organdie collars and cuffs, others novelty pockets. Both regular and extra sizes.

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Neat-looking models of good quality ginghams and percales, in plain tailored or fancy models, with belts or sashes. Carefully sewed throughout. Long or short sleeves. Good assortment of various colored patterns. All sizes from 36 to 46. Basement Economy Store



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August Fur Sale

Affords Savings of

20% to 33 1/3%

**Fur Coats, Capes
Scarfs, Coatees, Sets**

In the Basement Fur Section you will find rich looking Furs at nominal prices. The assortment is unusually large and includes plain muskrat Coats, French coney Coats, marmot Coats, French seal Coats, near-seal Coats.

All garments will be held in cold storage until wanted. Charge purchases will be entered on October statements, payable November 1. A deposit of 20% will hold Furs until wanted, balance payable October 1.



BURGLARS HEAR PATROL COMING AND ESCAPE

Men Who Try to Force Way Into Tailor Shop Arouse Neighbors by Their Noise.

Two burglars, who drove up in an automobile, and tried to "jimmy" their way into the tailor shop of Adolph B. Gamm, 1165 Hodiamont avenue, at 12:30 this morning, were so noisy that neighbors heard them and telephoned for policemen. Policemen went from the Page Boulevard Station in a patrol wagon and the burglars, hearing them, had time to escape. The door lock was broken, but nothing was stolen. Two Attempts at Safe Robbery in Night Are Unsuccessful.

Two attempts at safe robbery during the night were also unsuccessful. The safe at the Scalzo-Gunn Florida Fruit Co., 412 Wash street, was in too conspicuous a place, near the front window of the office, to suit burglars, who moved it to the basement, despite its 450-pound weight. They worked on the combination unsuccessfully and were evidently frightened away, for they left their tools. There was \$200 in the safe.

Burglars entered the Dan House Furnishing Co., 5950-52 Easton avenue, yesterday. They forced their way through a rear door, broke the safe combination and twisted the handle off the inner door, which became jammed. They locked the screen door through which they had entered and left by another rear door, locking it and taking the key.

A man walked into the grocery and butcher shop of Harry Laird, 5731 Kennerly avenue, yesterday afternoon, asked for a dozen eggs and then for a glass of water. Laird told him to wait until an 8-year-old girl customer was waited on. The reply was a revolver thrust in the grocer's face and an order to the girl to "leave the danger zone." Then the robber took \$5 from the cash drawer and walked out.

Albert Adams, a negro employee, was held up in Schertz's cafe, 311 North Twelfth street, at 3:20 a. m. by a man who knocked on the rear door, flourished a revolver and accompanied Adams inside. He demanded all the money there and Adams gave him a box containing \$50 change, kept under a counter.

Edward Kehlinbrink of the Dulton & Kehlinbrink Real Estate Co., 1410 St. Louis avenue, has asked the police to find a collector whom he hired a month ago and who disappeared last Thursday. He said the young man's mother had not seen him since then, either. Kehlinbrink declared that the collector's accounts are at least \$347.75 short.

An officer of the Northwestern Trust Co. reported yesterday that his bank had cashed a pay check for \$57.48, drawn by the Hoyt Metal Co. to an employee, Joseph E. Pley of 1212A Hobart street, who, it was learned, had been robbed of the check and \$11 in cash by a pickpocket on a McKinley car last Saturday. The company stopped payment on the check at its bank in Granite City.

Liquor Prescriptions Cause Arrest. Investigating traffic in fraudulent whisky prescriptions, United States Narcotic Agent Noland last night caused the arrest of Earl Turner, 33 years old, of 1915 South Broadway, and Edward Rainey, a negro, of 5118 Gratiot street, who, according to Noland, admitted having purchased prescriptions from a third man for years. Fred Smith, 34, of 2525 North Taylor avenue, later was arrested and was identified, the police say, as the man who sold the prescriptions to the pair. Smith denied the charge.



YOU CANNOT HAVE BEAUTY If Your Complexion is Marred by Blemishes.

It is a well known fact that beauty cannot be if the complexion is in any way marred by pimples, dark, yellow discolorations.

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BODY OF MAN FOUND ON TRESTLE IDENTIFIED

Associate Says William Debow-ski, Packing House Employee, Was Ejected From Car.

The man who was found early Sunday morning, fatally injured, on a trestle of the Alton, Granite and St. Louis Traction Co., at the eastern edge of Madison, Ill., and who died a few hours later at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Granite City, was identified today as William Debow-ski, 27 years old, of East St. Louis, a packing house employee.

Joseph Szimkus of 1023 North Third street, who made the identification, informed Coroner Merwin of Madison County, that Debow-ski was ejected from a street car at 11:52 p. m., Saturday by the conductor while the car was crossing the trestle en route from Granite City to East St. Louis. He said the conductor wore a badge bearing the number 424 or 242.

Chief of Police Clark of Granite City, who had been working on the theory that the man had been slugged in a bootleggers' feud and had been carried to the trestle to make it appear that a street car had struck him, abandoned that conclusion after hearing the story of Szimkus and said that he would seek verification of Szimkus' version at the headquarters of the street car company.

Szimkus' story was substantially as follows: In company with Debow-ski and three other men, he was returning to East St. Louis from Granite City after having circulated doggers announcing a dance to be given by the Polish-American Veterans of the World War at Madison. They had been drinking and Debow-ski was shouting and otherwise acting in a boisterous manner.

They boarded the street car at McCambridge Junction, which is a short distance north of the north-eastern approach of the street car viaduct. The conductor ordered Debow-ski to be quiet. An argument followed and the conductor opened the door of the car and shoved Debow-ski from the rear platform.

The other members continued their journey home and Sunday afternoon called at Debow-ski's home, seventh street and Bowman avenue, East St. Louis. He had not returned home. Yesterday they again inquired for him and learned that he had not returned home and had not reported for work. They then went to Fairmont, Ill., the home of his parents, and when they were informed that he had not been seen there, they reported his disappearance to the police of East St. Louis. Szimkus today went to the morgue at Granite City, where he identified the body as that of Debow-ski.

Angelo Stathis and Gus Ciro, part owners of a saloon at 900 State street, who were arrested yesterday when two persons informed the police that the body at the morgue resembled Jim Sharos, a former business partner of Stathis and Ciro, were released today when Chief Clark said himself that Sharos was still alive.

Stathis and Ciro were arrested July 23 by Federal prohibition agents of Madison County, and friends told them that Sharos had informed against them. Later Stathis and Ciro had Sharos arrested on a charge of violating the State prohibition law and his case was set for trial tomorrow in a Justice of the Peace court at Madison.

The theory that the fatal injuries were not caused by a street car was strengthened by the fact that blood had coagulated near a wound at the base of the skull. The crew of the car which picked up the injured man said that he was lying between the left rail of the street car tracks and the guard rail of the trestle.

The car, the crew of which found the injured man, was bound from East St. Louis to Granite City at about 1 a. m. more than an hour after the time Szimkus stated Debow-ski had been thrown from the car bound in the opposite direction.

TWO AVIATORS KILLED IN CRASH NEAR LAWTON, OK.

Capt. John M. McCrae and Lieut. Francis Nunemacher Had Been Stationed at Observation School. By the Associated Press.
LAWTON, Ok., Aug. 2.—Capt. John M. McCrae, Los Angeles, Cal., and Lieut. Francis Nunemacher, Berkeley, Cal., student officers at the Aerial Observation School at Post Field, were killed yesterday afternoon when their airplane crashed three miles west of Elgin. The cause of the accident is unknown. Capt. McCrae was married. A board of investigation has been appointed.

The two flyers left the aviation field early yesterday morning for aerial gunnery practice, according to officers at Post Field, and it was not until late in the day, when they failed to return, that a search was begun. The wrecked plane was found at the north end of the reservation at the foot of the Ranger Mountains.

The bodies of the two aviators had been thrown about 12 feet from the plane by the impact, according to word from officers who investigated the accident. The machine was a complete wreck and officers said that from all appearances it must have fallen from an altitude of at least 500 feet.

Capt. McCrae's neck was broken and Lieut. Nunemacher's body was severely crushed. Both men were said by Post Field authorities to have been experienced pilots, and had served in the world war. Investigating officers said last night that the exact cause of the accident would probably never be known.

Capt. McCrae came to Post Field last April from March Field, California, and Lieut. Nunemacher had been transferred from Mather Field, California, early in the year.



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Such exclamations as "Your store is an addition to St. Louis," "Values like you are now offering will make your store the talk of St. Louis," and "This is one of the most beautiful stores in America," were common expressions throughout the day. Thousands who came here yesterday and were not waited upon are urged to come here again this week. We have augmented our sales force and will be in better position to take care of you promptly and efficiently. If you did not visit this store Monday a surprise awaits you. Come here this week and see this greater retail furniture institution, even though you are not in the market for furniture at the present time. Come tomorrow, if it is possible, and see these

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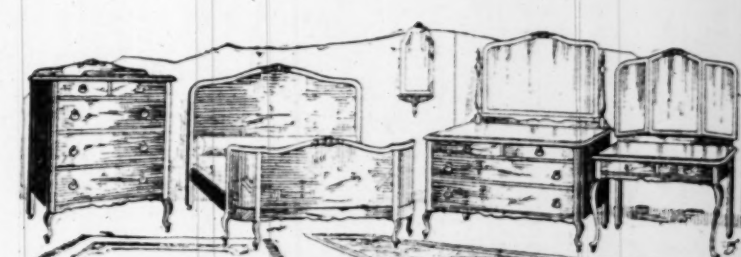
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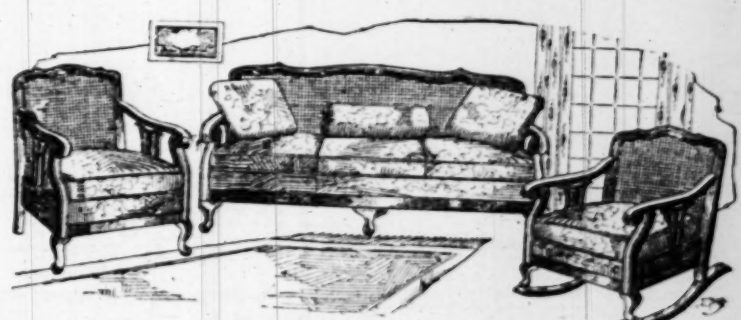
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Succeeds to Cardinal Gibbons' see. The new Archbishop of Baltimore, Michael J. Curley, late Bishop of St. Augustine, Fla.



French Ambassador and Mrs. Jusserand sail for visit to their home.



WPA

"Europe needs us at once." Bernard Baruch (in center) returns with this message. With him are Mr. and Mrs. Hale Hamilton. She is Grace Larue.



John McCormack, famous tenor, keeps himself fit by playing tennis.



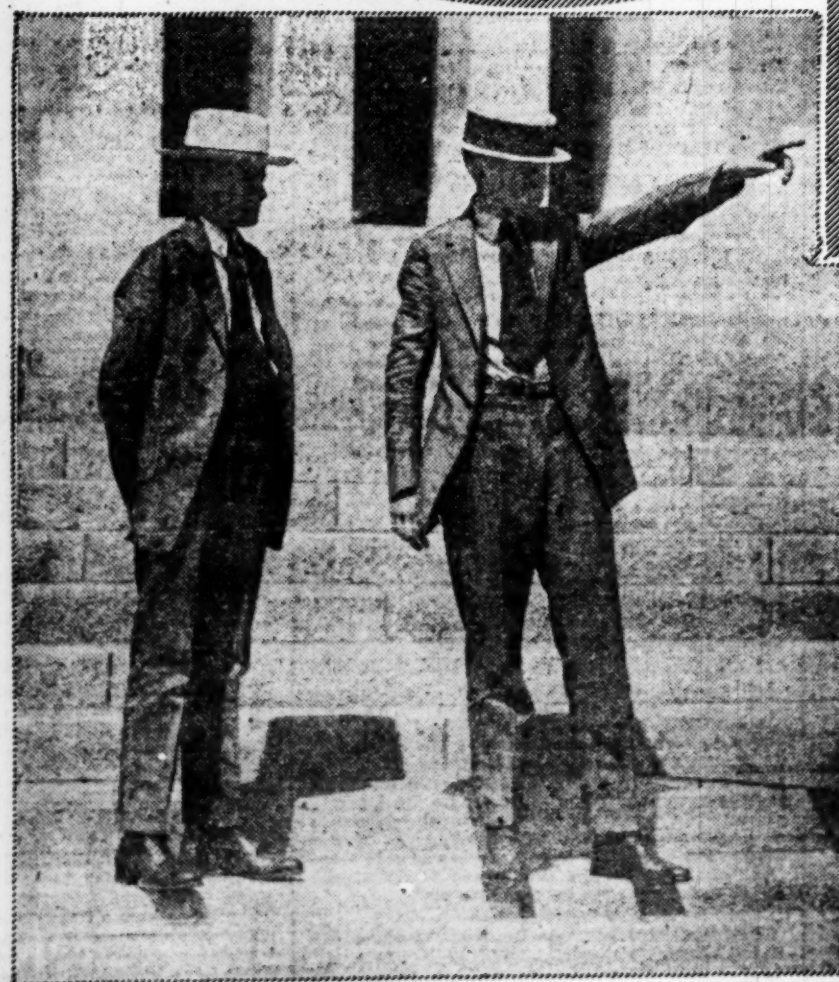
Something new in fans. Oddly shaped feathers in brilliant tropical hues and mounted in tortoise shell.



Queen Sophie of Greece fondles posthumous child of her son, who ruled while she and her husband were in exile. The child was born of a morganatic marriage with Mlle. Manos.



Not worried by the Northcliffe controversy. Ambassador Geddes "plays tennis as usual" while the tempest rages over withdrawal of courtesies of embassy from London publisher.



The Coolidge boys (John at left and Calvin Jr. at right), see Washington on their vacation. The Vice President's sons, just home from school, get their first glimpse of historic places and scenes.



A bathing novelty: a horseshoe chair that floats.

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JOSEPH PULTZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Equal Rights?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WERE it not so disgustingly unfair it would be excruciatingly funny—this dictatorial attitude toward bobbied hair which the executives of several large business establishments have recently seen fit to assume. Coming from a sex member of which would willingly face death by slow torture rather than appear in the first straw hat of the season, and would seek oblivion in the River des Peres before he'd wear a double-breasted coat when other men affect the single-breasted style, with apparently no sane or logical foundation for their arbitrary edict that girls who wear the abbreviated lock cannot continue in their employ, they only merit ridicule and contempt.

I concede that, seven or eight years ago, when the bobbed-hair fashion first began, it was taken hold of and made quite a fad among a certain light-minded, easy-moraled class who, in our grandmother's day, were the only ones who dared use the now too-common powder and rouge. But with the "weak" sex" stepping into their own in athletics and other activities, a different class of women has adopted the bobbed-hair style, which is admittedly more sanitary, cooler and far more comfortable than the puffs, waterfalls, curls, switches and whatnots of olden times. Short hair requires considerable grooming to keep it in workmanlike shape, and to some heads and styles of beauty is distinctly unbecoming. But the fashion is one of personal taste and decision, and is certainly not to be assumed or abandoned at the declared wish of employers unless they can prove beyond the shadow of a doubt that it adds to or detracts from the employee's ability to render service.

Need prejudice toward personal tastes be made a ground for dismissal in the business game, where, after all, none but the fittest play for long?

ANOTHER WOMAN.

Wanted—Self-Enforcing Laws.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

YOUR observations concerning how "Ku Klux Breed Ku Klux" are sound and safe from contradiction. High-minded citizens combine to effect unofficial enforcement of law. Lower minded citizens adopt the same heroic method, but use them for reprehensible purposes. Therefore, the law must be clamped down on the Ku Klux scheme.

So much for the first installment. What next? Who is to clamp the law on offensive citizens in St. Louis County, for instance, while its Sheriff is indisposed? Who is guaranteed to operate the clamp at a time when the Governor of Illinois, for instance, may be engaged in negotiating private loans of public funds?

Unfortunately, the law is not automatic. It operates only as administered and acts only when applied. We elect and pay executives specially commissioned to enforce the law on the assumption that they also will abide by the law. When they fail, shall the law fail?

WOULD B. SHOWN.

Soup Profiters.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

SATURDAY I was charged 30 cents for a bowl of soup by a downtown "moderate-priced" restaurant. How long is the profiteering business going to be continued downtown?

T. M.

Unfair Wage-Paying Methods.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

IT seems to be a common practice among employers of girls on a piece-work basis or straight time to hold wages due until a certain specified hour and day. I am speaking of sewing-machine operators. This also includes wages overdue. If a girl has a fraction of a week due her, no matter how long past due, she is compelled to call for it at a certain time in the week. Sometimes the amount does not warrant her losing a day in her new position, so she simply lets it go. I know of many instances of this kind. Take the thousands of these cases and the annual amount lost by working girls to employers makes quite a sum of money. These employers are on the wrong side of the law, as wages due should be paid on any day after date due, but possession is nine points with them. Some refuse payment under any conditions. ONE OF THE VICTIMS.

Union Painter's Questions.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WHAT has the high cost of building material got to do with the building already built and in need of painting? Is it not a fact that the wages of the painters are being held up to \$1.25 per hour by those members of the craft who are in the employ of the city and also the heads of the building trades?

With public opinion so dead set against what they call a holdup, \$1.25 per hour, and no construction work going on, would it not be reasonable to put the question of wages up to the people who have houses to paint and are willing to pay \$1 per hour, and let some of us go to work? Winter before last, when the cost of living was up, we had steady work at \$4 per day, and lived. How do they mix that high cost of building stuff with the old work in St. Louis? UNION PAINTER.

THE MUNICIPAL OPERA'S FUTURE.

Mayor Kiel's statement that the municipal opera season, with heavier expenses than those of any previous year, has earned a surplus of about \$10,000 is good news. It proves that municipal opera is on a sound foundation of popular approval and is self-supporting. Two successful years in succession seem conclusive as to the earning capacity of the opera project.

The Municipal Opera Association ought to have a surplus which will serve both as a fund for improvement and a guarantee fund. It will become in time independent of individual guarantees. Earning capacity is, of course, fundamental. The opera project has neither a public nor a private subsidy and therefore cannot continue unless it earns its expenses.

Money, however, is not the only consideration which should move the opera management. As a municipal opera supplied with a beautiful outdoor theater by the city, managed by a directorate composed of public officials and citizens interested in musical art, it has a high obligation to serve both the public and the cause of art. It should be not only an entertaining feature of St. Louis life, but an institution devoted to the promotion of the highest standards of art within its field. It should not only entertain, but cultivate taste and appreciation of the best music and the best operatic productions in popular opera. The municipal opera should have an art purpose.

It is not sufficient that St. Louis should present in the municipal theater a good stock show which in its caste and production is pleasing enough to draw the public on summer nights. It should create and maintain high art standards of operatic production.

We print today an interview with Charles E. Gallagher, the basso of the company. Mr. Gallagher is a gifted, trained artist of high standing and achievement. He is devoted to his art and knows whereof he speaks. In bidding farewell to St. Louis he offers a word of warning and suggestion. He insists that as a municipal opera with wonderful facilities for production the venture should rise to the highest possibilities of musical and dramatic art within its field of popular music. It should have the best producers and the best artists available to create standards which will make the municipal opera unique in its own productions and a leading beneficent influence upon the operatic stage.

Mr. Gallagher does not suggest grand opera. He approves a varied repertoire from the best of the musical comedies to the best of light or at least popular operas—possibly a week of "Faust" or "Il Trovatore" or some other popular opera of the best standard. Of course, this plan of work will require artistic production and a caste of artists capable of the best work. In a different field it ought to be on the same art plane as the Symphony Orchestra.

The suggestion ought to be headed by the management. We have come to a crisis in the municipal opera. We must decide whether it will go forward or backward as an operatic project—whether we will be satisfied with an entertaining stock show or will press forward to a higher goal and make it an exemplar of operatic production which will create high standards and be regarded everywhere as a leader and beneficial influence in its field of work.

We believe it would be a wise policy on the part of the management to expend some of this season's surplus in calling to St. Louis a few recognized experts in music and opera to advise with regard to future plans for operatic production. The only way to find the right course is to take counsel of those who know the field and its possibilities and are capable of pointing the way. Let us make St. Louis the recognized leader in operatic production. Then we shall have something well worth the enthusiastic cooperation of the community.

TAKING TOLL ON THE FARM.

One of the drawbacks of rural free delivery and other modern accessories is that our old friend, the farmer, learns city ways and city prices and quits being neighborly. There is our farmer friend over at East Alton, Ill. See what city ways have done to him. A few years ago, if there had been a wash-out or anything on the road, he and his boys would have turned out and pulled down a few sections of the stake-and-rider fence and invited everybody to drive through his farm to the other road, and everybody

would have done it, ruining a few acres of his crops and grabbing apples from the trees and stampeding the stock.

They are fixing the Alton road now and traffic has to be detoured. It was going around by Upper Alton, a long distance over poor roads. Friend Farmer saw it and it touched his heart. There he was with a farm that was not doing anything in particular, through which the folks might as well be driving. So he took down the fence and put his boy out in the road to shoo the traffic through and neglected his chores to stand out under a tree and collect the toll, dimes for passenger automobiles and quarters for trucks.

There is an awful lot of travel on that road and the farmer's boy drives most of it through the hole in the fence and the farm is getting all cluttered up with dimes and quarters, but the farmer doesn't complain. He stands in the shade and receives with a glad hand all the city folks who come to the farm and makes correct change and invites them to come again.

The farmer certainly has changed, but it can be said that nobody mistakes him for a St. Louis landlord summering in the country. No St. Louis landlord would stand there under the shade tree and collect the toll. He would make them bring it up to the house.

The biggest word in the Missouri language today is Yes.

SENATOR FRANCE ON RUSSIA.

Senator France of Maryland, after a month's visit in Russia, announces that the Soviet Government is so firmly established it cannot be overthrown. This judgment may or may not be correct, but the statement lacks clarity and could easily be misleading. If Senator France regards sovietism and bolshevism as one and the same he is badly mistaken and his conclusion is mischievous. His interview indicates that he does not distinguish between the two.

For example, the peasants' ownership of the land, he says, is the foundation of the Soviet Government's strength and explains that this was the issue on which the bolsheviks rode into power. Superficially, this is true, though peasant ownership of the land was one of the promises of the revolution that terminated the Romanoff reign and installed the Kereny government. Further, ownership of the land was as repugnant to Lenin and Trotsky and the bolshevik philosophy as ownership of anything else. The very institution of property was anathema. It was to be eradicated from Russian life.

Senator France adds his testimony to that of other witnesses that the reaction against communism has set in and that the swing back to capitalism has already gained considerable momentum. He attributes this to the peasants who, now that they own the land, desire, naturally enough, to sell their produce and reap the fruits of their labors. But when Senator France tells us that Lenin and Trotsky accept this fact and are doing nothing to obstruct it and, therefore, are to be acclaimed for their patriotism, benevolence and conservatism he issues a rather large order. That the bolshevik leaders are complying with the peasants' demands seems well established, but that is all they can do. They tried levying on the peasants' products, in the name of the communistic good, and met with a resistance which they did not dare to overcome by force. If they are yielding in the present juncture with good grace, as seems to be the case, they are simply making a virtue of necessity and proving themselves opportunists and practical politicians rather than zealots.

Senator France advises that we recognize the Lenin regime as the de facto government and enter upon relations of amity and commerce. This has been his position from the first. Such a course may be practicable now, but the suggestion would be more acceptable if the Senator had omitted his fulsome praise of the great things done for the Russian people by Lenin, Trotsky and company—adventurers who specialized in murder and theft at home and gloatingly counseled a policy of treachery and destruction abroad while grandiosely planning to involve the world in the abomination called bolshevism.

Today is the chance to make Missouri a four-time winner.



EVICTED.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
By Clark McDooms

A DEDICATION.

IF fame should some day come to me, I'd like to throw my name should be among the names written in gold. And everywhere my songs be told. Ah, most beloved, I should not care fact—nothing, my fear; but we can do something about the expression. Shakspeare said of Julius Caesar:

JULIA CLOPTON CRESAP.

Henry H. Klein, Deputy Commissioner of Accounts for the City of New York, says "Mr. Rockefeller is a Colossus bestride the world." We don't know what might be done about the "Washington," the President, being a Colossus bestride the world. We don't know what might be done about the "Washington," the President, being a Colossus bestride the world.

Why, man, he doth bestride the narrow world like a Colossus, and we petty men Walk under his huge legs and peep about To find ourselves dishonourable graves.

We assume this to have been the source of Mr. Rockefeller's clutches, but maybe we can save the language from the butchery of Mr. Klein.

Sir: Upon the recent invasion of the capital by the Republican politicians of Missouri, the so-called "Damndest outfit that ever come to Washington," the President, being a Colossus bestride the world, sent a hurry-up order for the Mayflower and lit out for Plymouth Rock!

Except from a letter to Just a Minute from a Chicago man now in Bohemia, California: "When I get back to where I can have a stenographer I will answer your letter more fully on things in which we are both interested. To tell the truth, long lack of practice has made me fearful of my spelling." However, he will find his stenographer in good form and able to misspell anything for him.

THE DUCKS GOT IT.
(Sikston, Mo. Standard.)

Did "de ducks" get your crop? They got the crop of a South Missouri negro tenant farmer who went to the bank to borrow some more money and explained it to the banker thusly: "Ah shipped dat corn to market and had to deduct freight which lef me \$12 a bushel. An' den Ah had to deduct ah selling' communism charges which lef \$20. An' den Ah had to deduct elevator fer huskin' and 10c fer shellin' and 5c for hullin'. An' de damn ducks jes got it. Dat's all."

Excellent sign to go on the front of any profiteer's store.

Caveat Emptor
Or, "Let the buyer beware."

An advertisement of Sunday:
Good Family Automobile, \$275

Probably meaning that it would take the whole family to start it.

Sir: It surprises me to find that none has given publicity, in your corner, to this infallible method of securing a job. This method has been featured in Post-Dispatch editorials twice, yet St. Louis still has thousands of unemployed. Apparently St. Louisans are too innately upright.

Let me describe how the foot-weary, out-of-work model citizen can quickly and surely find congenial employment. There's nothing to it! First of all, the job hunter must commit a heinous crime. The more horrible the crime, the greater are the chances of success. A particularly despicable murder is much to be preferred. With that much satisfactorily accomplished, the job hunter must then find a man with friends in high places to stand back of him during trial. The job hunter-murderer will—if his counsel conducts the "defense" properly—be sentenced to life imprisonment in the State penitentiary. (This according to precedent.)

The remainder is plain sailing. The defense drops the case by day and works on it only during the night hours. After a short term in the State "pen," for appearance's sake an order will be issued commanding the job hunter-murderer to appear at the Governor's official residence to take up duty as chauffeur or "rich-like."

Parole follows in due course.

Just how this very desirable result is achieved we are not quite sure, but so long as the job arrives, why ask silly questions?

KANSAS CITY HEARD FROM.

From girls who repeatedly mention the name and size of the automobile they were riding in the previous night:

From girls who casually mention that Tom, Dick and Harry carry pocket flasks and make highballs:

From girls who have a birthday the first week after making the acquaintance of a new fellow:

From girls who will watch a man spend a week's pay in one night:

From girls who will make a remark that there is nothing they like better than an evening of modest, inexpensive entertainment:

From working girls who play golf and carry their own clubs to and from the store or office in the street cars:

From girls who cut their hair off, pull it out of their eyebrows and add to their eyelashes with lamp black and glue.

And from girls who burn up good tobacco and consume good whisky for the appearance of the act rather than for the taste—

May the good Lord, Mrs. Grundy and Mr. Volstead co-operate to deliver us!

KANSAS CITY BOY.

SELF DEFENSE.

FROM mediocre and impotent reporters: To whom nature has been so kind. Excuse us, please, we would be fair. Before we lose our mind.

From the cynics and critics With sapience divine. Who cry for delivery From me and from mine— Have a heart, Just a Minute, and deliver us!

They've picked on the long. They've picked on the short; They've picked on the strong; As they've picked on the smart; They would make no less on the time they lose. If they picked on a wart Instead of on a nose.

From these infinite egos rare. To whom nature has been so kind. Excuse us, please, we would be fair. Before we lose our mind.

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The MIRROR OF PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists of the day.

COMPETITIVE ARMAMENT.

From the Atlantic Monthly.

WAR that springs from the people themselves are few, indeed; and most of the money that is now spent in preparing for another war among the white races is doubly wasted. If there is such a war during the lifetime of the next generation on a scale equal to that of the recent war, it makes no difference who triumphs or who is defeated. Victor and vanquished alike will perish in the ruins of the civilization that they have destroyed. Spending money on competitive armament at this time, under the pretext of providing for national defense, is like drawing blood from a patient who is suffering from pernicious anemia. The disease may not be fatal in itself, but the remedy is sure to be. Whether Europe can recover from the effects of this inconceivably disastrous war is still a debatable question. No person even reasonably familiar with the situation in which mankind finds itself would venture to predict the general state of civilization five years hence. The issue is still hanging in the balance.

THE LEGION AND LYNCH LAW.

From the New York World.

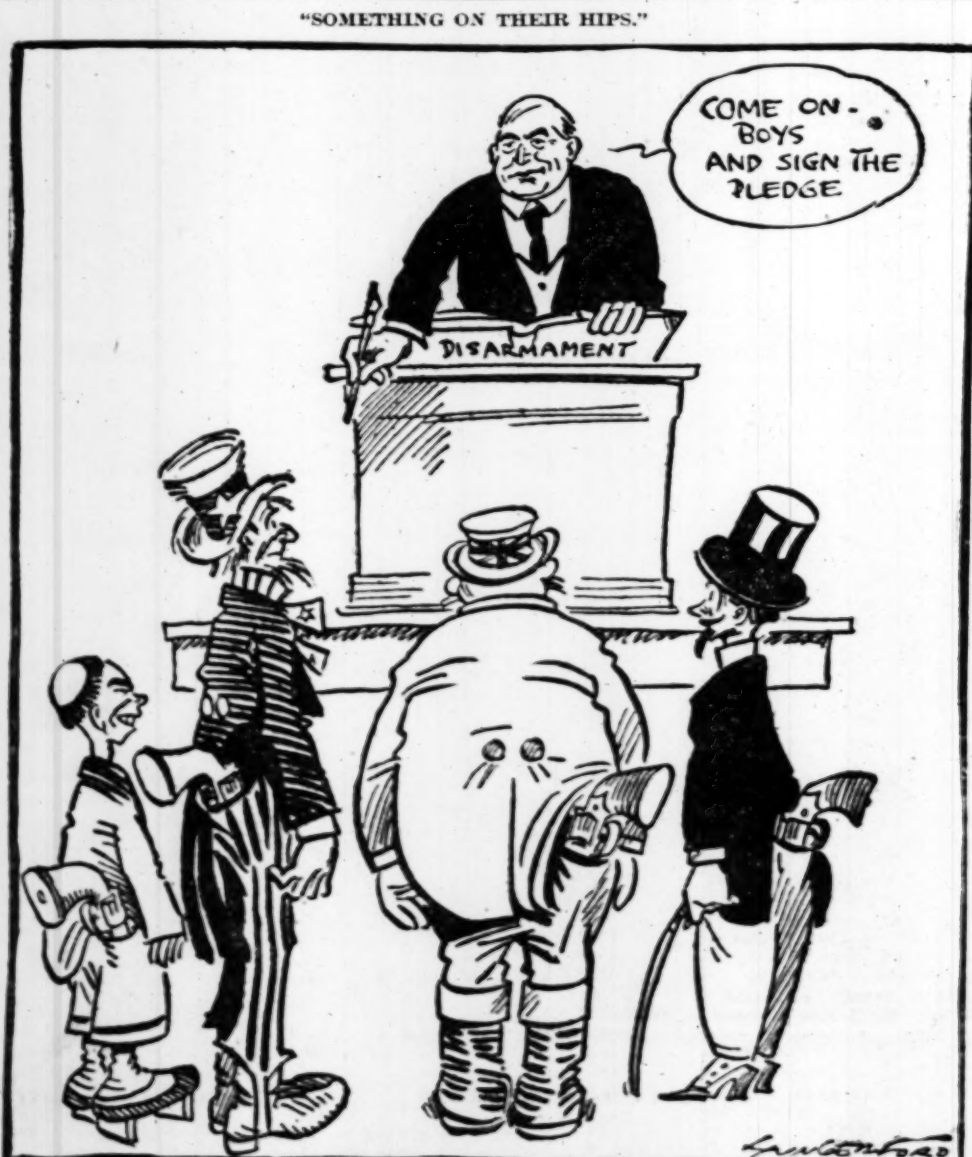
A decisive majority the New York County Committee of the American Legion has rejected a resolution offered by the Willard Straight Post repudiating the lawlessness which has been charged against separate posts of the legion and against the legion as a whole, and advocating a strict adherence to the constitutional rights of free speech, free press and assembly. The Willard Straight Post has thrown its influence consistently toward a policy of justice and fair play which if accepted and followed would bring the national organization an enviable name. It was inconceivable that such a resolution as it offered could be defeated in the open by any responsible group of men. In voting it down the New York committee places itself in an utterly indefensible position. If the local representatives of the legion refuse to condemn lawlessness and refuse to uphold constitutional rights, are we to assume that they approve lawlessness and favor assaults on the Constitution? Have they committed themselves to a denial of the rights of free speech, free press and assembly?

Unless there is an explanation or a reversal of this decision by one of the most important of the legion's committees, it will be assumed with good reason that the charges which have been brought against its activities throughout the country have a sound basis in fact. Sporadic lawlessness is difficult to avoid, but a tolerance of lawlessness deliberately arrived at is another and far more serious offense.

OUR FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM.

From the World's Work.

THE number and importance of the failures would have been greater if a new method had not been developed for taking care of many strained business situations. Several important companies today are being managed by committees of their creditors or by representative appointed by the banks to which they owe money. In the old days these companies would probably have been thrown into receivers' hands and there would have resulted a train of losses from such an action. But now by the introduction of the system of quasi-bankruptcy, many of these concerns will be brought through the period of readjustment and put back on a peace-time basis. The improvement in our banking system has made it possible to handle strained business situations in this new way. Lending business and banker agree that the Federal reserve system has prevented a panic in this country. The danger of such an event has now passed. Our banking situation is stronger than it has been since 1914.



—Pittsburg Sun.

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



THERE'S ALWAYS A REASON.

I do not spend what others earn
On meaningless display;
Extravagance I sternly spurn,
I hoard my cash away.
By smoking fifty-cent cigars
I don't impair my liver,
I do not use expensive cars,
Nor even own a flivver.

I seldom see a Broadway show—
The prices are too steep;
The moving pictures may be low,
But they are also cheap.
With any form of bootleg booze
I do not numb my senses.
The only drinks I ever use
The soda man dispenses.

I do not pay a fortune for
My shirts or my cravats,
I always hunt a bargain store
When I'm in need of hats.
I never wear imported boots
Or hand-stitched English collars,
My winter and my summer suits
I buy for twenty dollars.

In closing, I will frankly state
I do not live this way
Because of any heart-felt hate
For frivolous display.
The cash I keep no solace brings,
That isn't why I hoard it;
I simply do not do these things
Because I can't afford it.



Going Up.

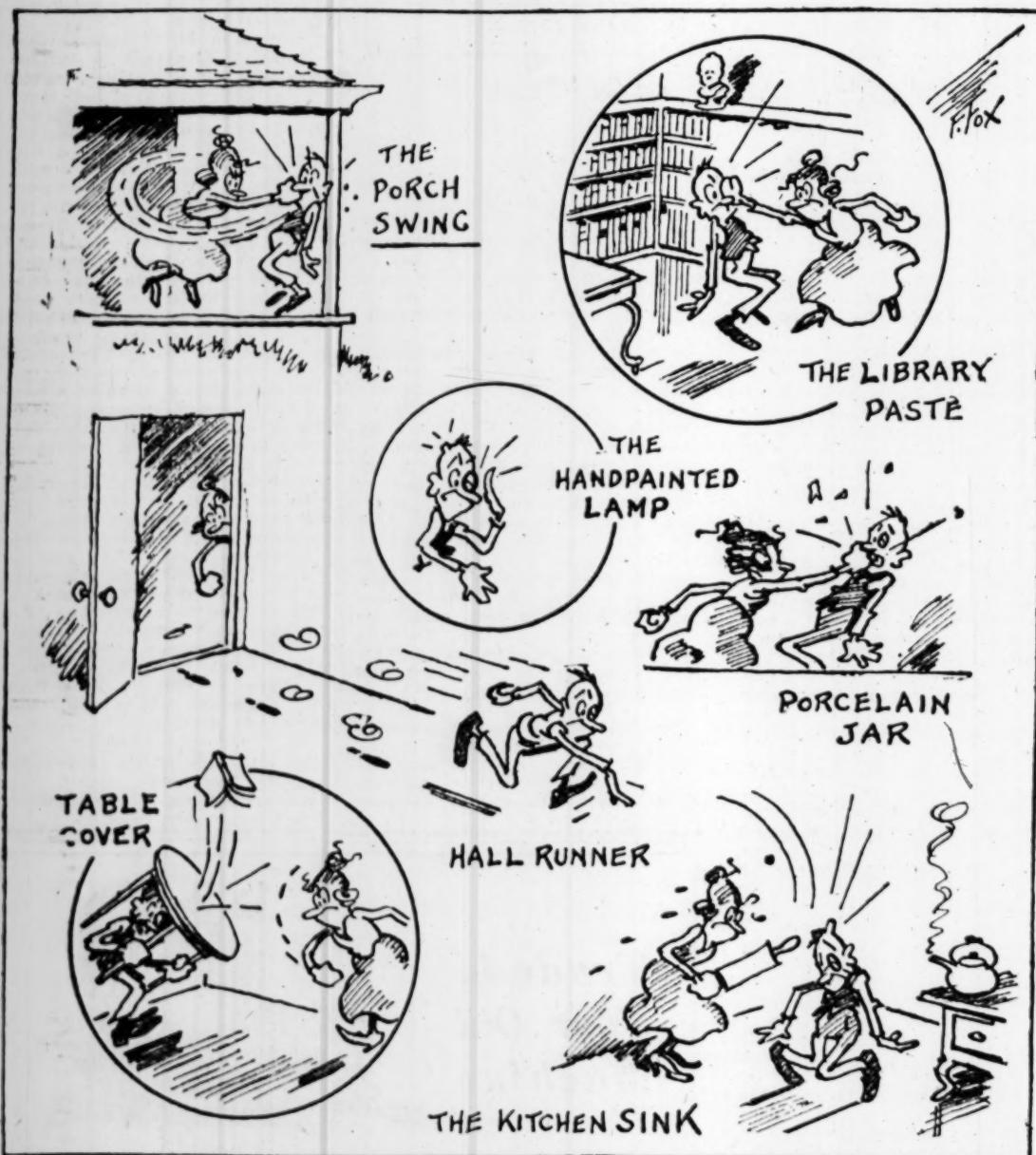
"Mildred's fiancé was in the aviation service during the war, was he not?"
"Yes, and I'll wager that he will establish a new record for altitude flight when he discovers how much it costs to keep Mildred in clothes."
—Judge.

Often the Trouble.

"You ought to have a chauffeur. Can't you afford one?"
"I might afford the chauffeur," replied Mr. Chuggins, "but I couldn't afford the kind of a car he'd want to take his friends out riding in."
—Washington Star.

The Great Battle Between Mr. and Mrs. Smith Described in Household Terms

—By Fontaine Fox



THE LADIES GET THE MATCH-MAKING FEVER AND TRY TO TRICK AN UNATTACHED BOOB INTO PROPOSING TO A WALL-FLOWER OF DOUBTFUL AGE, WHO HAS SPENT EIGHT SUMMERS AT THE SAME RESORT TRYING TO GRAB A HUSBAND.



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S'MATTER, POP?—NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT—By C. M. PAYNE



The Young Naturalist.

City Boy (at school outing): Oh! Look at the pretty bird.
Teacher: It isn't a bird, Harry. It's a bird.
"Well, anyway, it makes a noise like a bird."—Life.

THAT REMINDS ME :: By JACK COLLINS



He Limited Himself.

The defendant, accused of stealing chickens, had been duly examined in court, and at the conclusion the Judge said:

"As I understand it, Sam, you entered the henhouse and then, deciding to resist temptation, left it. Is that correct?"

"Yesuh, Judge. Dass about right."
"In that case, can you explain how two of the hens were missing?"

"It was jes' dis way, Judge. I took 'em. I reckoned I was entitled to dat many fo' leaving de res'."
—American Legion Weekly.

Modern Art.

The Critic (darkly): There's one handy thing about this modern art—the less you study it the better you understand it.—Le Rire, Paris.

Literally.

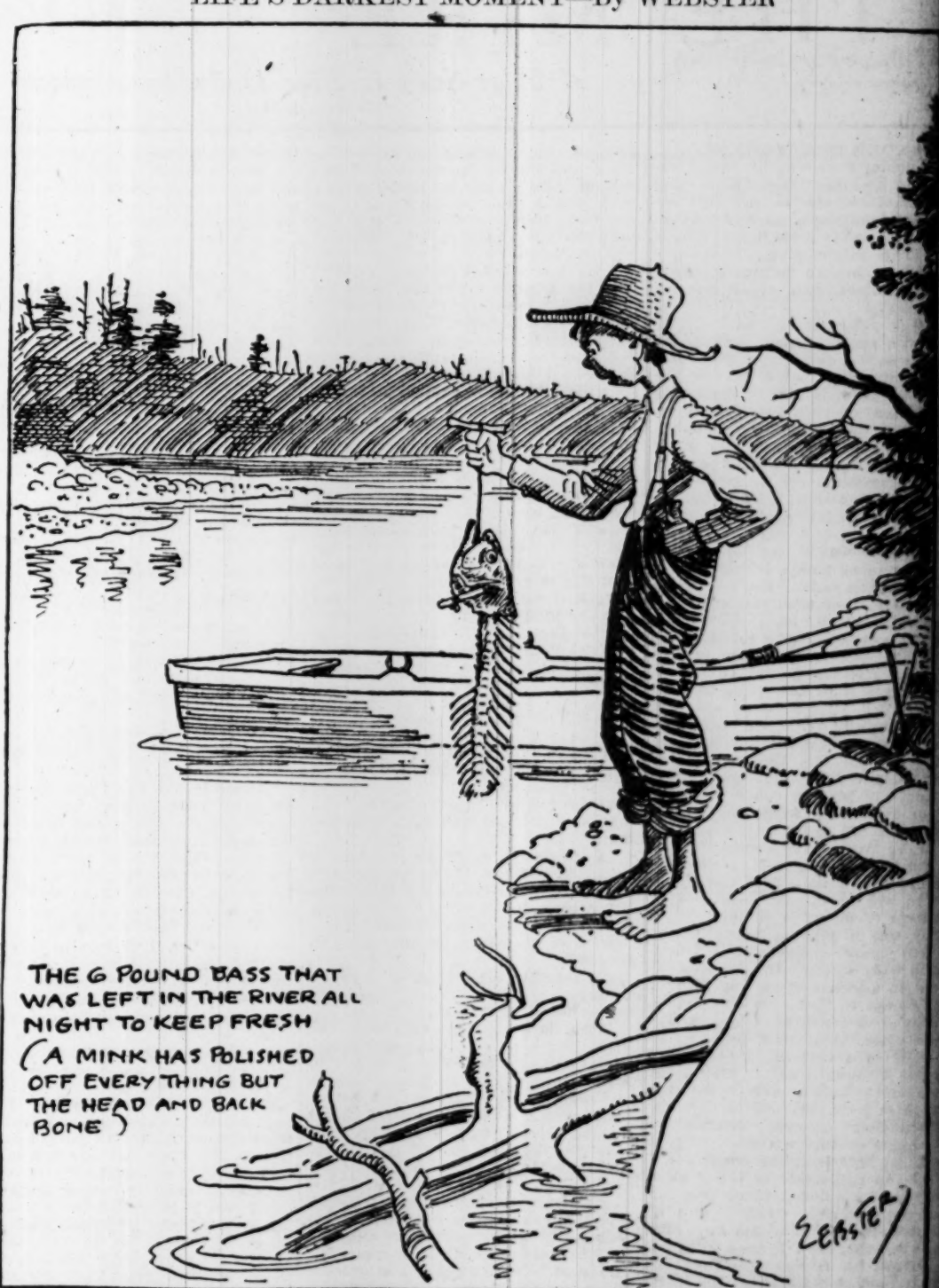
Madge—I heard Aunt Jane criticizing my bathing suit scandalously. Mabel—She had very little to talk about.—Boston Transcript.

There have been many inquiries as to the present whereabouts of Mutt and Jeff. They are gone, but not forgotten. Mutt and Jeff, like most other folks, need a summer vacation, and they are now taking it. They will be back on this page Aug. 8, prepared, no doubt, to tell their friends what a good time they have had.

Time to Depart.

A teacher in an English school was calling over the names of his scholars in order to ascertain which of them were likely to leave shortly. "Please, sir," said one urchin, "I think I shall leave soon."
"Why, Tommy?" asked the teacher.
"Well, sir," he said, "I think we're going to leave our 'ouse 'cause mother's burnt the coalhouse door an' sold the cubber door and farver's a choppin' down the stairs this mornin'." We allus leave after we've burnt the stairs.—Kansas City Star.

LIFE'S DARKEST MOMENT—By WEBSTER



AIN'T IT A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELING?—By BRIGGS

